

# BLIZZARD HITS NEW ENGLAND

## BOND DRIVE OVER THE TOP

Workers For Irish Fund  
Reach Goal After Two  
Weeks' Efforts

Lowell First City in State  
To Finish Campaign—  
Meeting Tomorrow

After two weeks of campaigning in the worst kind of winter weather that the city has known for many years and with the additional handicap of illness in hundreds of homes, the 500 solicitors who undertook to sell \$50,000 worth of Irish republic bonds in Lowell reached their goal last evening and at noon today were well on their way toward the \$65,000 mark.

The drive will be declared formally closed at a meeting in Ilibrian hall tomorrow evening but campaign headquarters in the Howe building will be continued to Page 4, Second Section

## WIND PLAYS HAVOC WITH GLASS WINDOWS

The high wind accompanying the storm raised havoc with window glass and in some instances caused considerable loss. A plate glass window on the Prescott street side of the United Cigar store in The Sun building blew out with a terrific crash shortly after 12 o'clock and although the glass flew for some distance no one was out.

One of the large revolving glass doors of the Chiffoux company was blown from its hinges by the wind and toppled over carrying goods on a nearby counter along with it.

A glass front to a door at The Colonial in Prescott street was blown out and one of the storm doors of the D. L. Page Co. was wrecked and the other damaged so much that it had to be reinforced with plates of tin.

## HEARING ON PETITION FOR MEMORIAL PARK

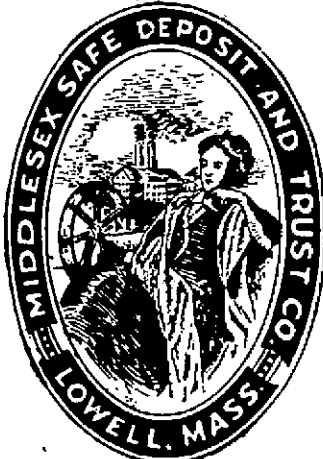
The park commission has sent a petition to Mayor Perry D. Thompson and other members of the municipal council asking that a date be set by the latter body for a hearing on the petition of Pawtucketville residents that money be appropriated for the laying out of a memorial park along the bank of the Merrimack river near the junction of Varnum avenue and Mammoth road. The petition has been approved by the park department and authorization is now sought from the municipal council to begin the work.

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## Open a Savings Account

## Middlesex Trust Company

160 Merrimack Street, Lowell Mass.



Last Three Dividends  
Paid at Rate of **4 1/2%**

DEPOSITS GO ON INTEREST APRIL 1  
TOTAL RESOURCES OVER \$3,700,000  
Special Attention Given Deposits by Mail

## KASINO—DANCING

FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND  
MONDAY EVENINGS

## ARMY ESSAY CONTEST

Frank Mossey of Sacred  
Heart School Is Adjudged  
the Winner

Frank Massey, of 71 Bowden street, a pupil of the Sacred Heart school, has been adjudged the winner of the United States army-essay contest, recently held in all the public and parochial schools of the city under the auspices of the war department, and will be awarded the handsome silver loving cup which has been donated by Mayor Perry D. Thompson for the best local essay.

It will be remembered that the best essay from each school in the city was continued to Page 3—Second Section

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CASE

Findings in Favor of Trustees of Publishing Society  
and of J. V. Dittmore

BOSTON, March 6.—Findings in favor of the trustees of the Christian Science Publishing society and of John V. Dittmore in their suits against the directors of the mother church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, are contained in the report of Frederic Dodge as master, which was filed here today in the office of the clerk of the supreme judicial court. The master holds that the directors had no legal right to remove Lament Howlands of Plaueuse, Miss., from the board of trustees or Dittmore from the board of directors.

"The trust deed of 1838," the master continued to last page 1st section

## \$100 FINES IMPOSED IN LIQUOR CASES

Joseph Silva and Peter Spanos, two Moody street storekeepers charged with the illegal sale and keeping of liquor, were arraigned on continuance before Judge Bright in the municipal court today and were fined \$100 each. They appealed.

It will be recalled that at the first hearing of the case a policeman testified that he visited the stores of the two defendants and bought Jamaica ginger and tonic, "as a beverage." He admitted under cross-examination that he didn't intend to drink the mixture. Attorney George Toye, counsel for the defendants, contended that as the "jake" was not actually purchased for beverage purposes, the sellers were not guilty of the illegal sale of liquor, even though they believed that it was to be used as a beverage and that they were breaking the law in selling it for this purpose. He was given a week by Judge Bright to file a brief in support of his contention, which he did.

## Entire Country East of the Rocky Mountains in Grip of One of Worst Storms in Years

## STORM WARNINGS STILL DISPLAYED

Storm Centered Off Massachusetts Coast—Expected  
To Pass Out to Sea

Cold Wave Forecast For Tonight—Ships Driven Ashore—  
—Worst Tieup of Winter

BOSTON, March 6.—The winter's latest storm swept into New England today, adding further burdens to convalescing railroads, tearing down wires and holding shipping in port or to emergency anchorages. In its early stages, the storm started a thaw of the tremendous snow and ice deposits, but all flood-danger was quickly checked when the precipitation turned from rain to snow, with increasing cold. The wind gained strength with the hours, and a velocity of 80 miles was reported from Blue Hill observatory before noon.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The storm which swept out of the northwest two days ago was passing slowly out to sea today. High winds continued along the Atlantic coast and severely cold weather prevailed over the entire country east of the Rocky Mountains. Continued to Page 5—First Section

## FEDERAL INCOME TAX COLLECTIONS

Only one-fifth of the number of Lowell people who have to file tax reports with the federal income tax officers at the post office have put in an appearance up to date. One of the officials claimed that he could not realize what was holding up the work in Lowell and again issued a warning that all those who have to do so, must get their returns in before March 15, and that they should not wait until the last day because the four men in charge cannot handle three or four-fifths of the work in one or two days. The danger is that if one holds out until the last day his report will be delayed because of the inability of the men to handle it. There is a very heavy fine for late filing. Revenue Agent Thomas O'Keefe of Boston is now connected with the postoffice station to aid in the final clear-up until March 15.

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Interest Begins  
**TODAY**

Merrimack River  
Savings Bank  
225 CENTRAL STREET

IMPASSABLE STREETS  
Blocked, frozen hydrants ENTHRA-  
SIZED the necessity of Adequate Fire  
Insurance.  
**FRED C. CHURCH**  
53 Central St.

## STORES WILL CLOSE IF STORM CONTINUES

If the storm continues all afternoon and shows no sign of abatement at 5:30 o'clock, all dry goods and furnishing stores downtown will close their doors at 5 p. m. A survey was conducted by the chamber of commerce and the merchants agreed to the early closing time in view of the intensity of the blizzard and the resulting curtailment of all modes of travel.

## STORM COMES IN BLIZZARD FORM

Steam Railroad Schedules  
Shot to Pieces—Trolley  
Service Crippled

Cars Are Unable To Stand  
The Strain—Snow Plows  
Are Stalled

No Freight Moving on New  
Haven Lines—Pedestrians  
Have Hard Struggle

The storm which was reported to have passed out to sea struck Lowell in blizzard form early today, delivered a mortal blow to an already crippled street car service, threw steam railroad schedules into the discard and raged with such fierceness that visibility was reduced to a matter of a few feet.

Although forewarned that the storm was sweeping eastward from the Great Lakes, public utilities could not forearm themselves to any great extent because of the precarious condition of rolling stock as the result of almost incessant battling against ice and snow for the past eight weeks.

After a night of melting rain, snow began to fall just after daybreak and a wind sprang up that developed into gale proportions within an hour. Continued to page 3—second section

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## FOR SALE

ELECTRIC  
CAR BODIES

(Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Co.'s  
Rolling Stock)

Complete with cushions, curtains,  
etc. Suitable for camps, tool  
houses and play houses.

**DAVID ZISKIND  
& CO.**

Tels. 1900-1901—Cambridge St.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

The Firm of  
**Charles H. Molloy Sons**  
Is now under the management of  
**Mr. Joseph A. Molloy**

Signed  
CHARLES H. MOLLOY SONS,  
343-361 Market St.

## 60 MILE GALE HITS NEW YORK

Pelting Rain, Driving Sleet  
Storm and Biting Snow  
Squall Cause Damage

Cellars Flooded, Roads  
Washed Out—Chimneys  
Toppled Over

NEW YORK, March 6.—The storm king paid another unwelcome visit to New York today, just as the city was commencing to recover from the effects of the \$5,000,000 blizzard of a month ago, and within 12 hours the metropolis struggled with a pelting rain, a driving sleet storm and a biting snow squall. As the temperature dropped steadily during the night, the wind increased in velocity until during the early morning hours it had reached an unofficial velocity of 60 miles an hour which boded ill for shipping off the coast.

The comparatively warm rain was at first welcomed by a much harassed street department as the fall, at the rate of an inch an hour, washed away some of the icy, muddy relics of February's blizzard. But the gut-continued to page 3—second section

## GEN. LEONARD WOOD DID NOT ARRIVE

Major General Leonard Wood, who seeks the republican nomination for president, was scheduled to spend three minutes in Lowell this forenoon en route to Manchester, N. H., but did not make train connections in Boston and cancelled his trip.

A handful of Wood adherents including Frank B. Dunbar and Gen. Gardner W. Pearson, pledged delegates, were at the Middlesex street depot to meet the 9:37 train, but when it pulled in 35 minutes late the candidate was not on board. The Pullman conductor said his train from New York was reported seven hours late at the South Terminal station. It is probable that Gen. Wood will not attempt to make Manchester today.

A meeting for the purpose of forming a Leonard Wood club in Lowell has been called for this evening at The Harrisonia, special invitations having been sent out to all Plattsburgh men to attend. The call for the meeting has been sent out by Arthur J. Brown, a Plattsburgh man in 1915 and 1916. He probably will be chosen chairman of the local organization at tonight's meeting. All persons interested in Gen. Wood's campaign are cordially invited to attend.

## BASKETBALL

LOWELL vs. MAYNARD

—IN—  
ASSOCIATE HALL  
Monday Eve., March 8,  
Reserved Seats for Sale at Dows,  
Shattuck and Merrimack Sts.

## ICY WALKS

Falling ice and snow results in  
accident suits. Carry general li-  
ability insurance.

**FRED C. CHURCH**

53 CENTRAL STREET

American Legion Announces  
CONCERT and Y. D. PICTURES  
SUNDAY, MARCH 21, AFTERNOON  
AND EVENING  
**LOWELL OPERA HOUSE**  
See Lowell Boys in Action

## Farrell & Conaton

PLUMBERS, STEAM, GAS AND  
WATER FITTERS  
243 Dutton St. Telephone 1511

## SCHEDULE OF INCREASES

Announced by Alderman  
Murphy For Laborers in  
His Department

Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy of the department of streets and highways today announced his schedule of increases for employees of his department, resulting from a petition presented some time ago for a flat wage of \$5 per day. The increases vary from 40 to 49 cents per day, but only in the case of foremen does the increase bring the raise to \$5 per day.

Laborers will receive \$4.50 per day under the new rate, as predicted yesterday. Snarrows men will receive \$4.20, an increase of 47 cents. Barn men and timber men will receive \$4.75 per day, an advance of 43 cents per day in the first instance and of 44 cents in the second.

The increases will cost the city a total of \$27,517 for the remaining ten months of the year. They will be retroactive until Jan. 1.

Commissioner Murphy presented the schedule of increases to Timothy Finnegan, president of the Municipal Employees' union, and Michael Regan, president of the City Teamsters' union, this morning. These organizations will meet tomorrow to accept or reject the advances.

Mr. Murphy says that the increases were fixed according to the continued to last page, 1st section

## WATER IN MANY LOWELL CELLARS

The street and water department offices were kept busy this morning with calls from individuals whose homes or places of business had become lodging places for some of the water caused by last night's rain and thaw. Cellars in all parts of the city were reported on the verge of inundation. Commissioner Murphy of the street department had difficulty in getting enough men to cope with the requests for relief because of the disinclination of the department's employees to work in the storm while Supl. Robert Gardner, of the water department found it impossible to comply with the numerous requests that came to have the men of that department pump out flooded cellars. However, both departments exerted every effort to give what relief they could under the circumstances.

## SLIGHT INCREASE IN MORTALITY RATE

Lowell's mortality increased slightly this week in comparison with last week, but was lower than the rate two weeks ago. There were 53 deaths reported this week, 55 last week and 72 the week before. The rates were 32.75, 26.97 and 34.67 respectively. There were 23 deaths of children, less than five and 15 of children under one. Infectious diseases caused five deaths, pneumonia, 25; bronchitis, 1; tuberculosis, 5 and influenza, 2.

Infectious diseases reported were: Diphtheria, 2; scarlet fever, 3; tuberculosis, 6, and influenza, 53.

NEW YORK CLEARINGS  
NEW YORK, March 6.—Exchanges, \$714,082,107; balances \$50,474,100.

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## EVERY MAN

Is the architect of his own  
fortune. Plan for your future by  
starting a savings account today.

Interest Begins Next Saturday

**WASHINGTON  
SAVINGS INSTITUTION**  
30 MIDDLESEX ST.

OPEN FOR BUSINESS SATURDAYS  
9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## THE JAIL AND THE COMMUNITY

Keeper Eveleth of Lowell  
Jail Gives Interesting  
Views on Subject

Changes in Methods of  
Handling Law-breakers in  
Past Decade

The probation system has done much more to depopulate jails and houses of correction than prohibition, in the opinion of Charles A. Eveleth, keeper of the Lowell jail in Thorndike street.

Today the massive stone building opposite the South common is without a single prisoner. At one time there were as many as 147 men and women incarcerated there. Prohibition has had something to do with bringing about this change of condition, Mr. Eveleth admits, but he thinks that a greater share of the credit should be given the probation system which has saved many a man and woman from confinement for some minor offense.

Mr. Eveleth points out that before the probation system had reached its present stage of development, many people who were arrested and brought into the local police court on charges of drunkenness or some other slight offense were fined \$2 and instead of being compelled to pay the fine, were given an opportunity of "working out" the sentence at the jail. With the present probation system, however, first offenders are usually given another chance and very often second or third offenders are given a fourth chance.

## SEND SPECIAL TRAIN FOR MILL HELP

The Boston & Maine sent a special train to North Chelmsford this noon to bring to the city the operatives in the several mills located there. Electric transportation does not venture beyond the car barns and the workers would have either had to walk almost three miles and suffer great exposure or remain stranded in the village. Some people did walk the distance from the town to the car barns in Middlesex street and one conductor reported in the square that 15 people on his car were suffering from frozen ears and faces as the result.

## ONE "FLU" CASE REPORTED

Only one case of influenza has been reported to the board of health up to noon today. One death from bronchopneumonia was also reported. There were eight cases of influenza yesterday but no deaths. There was a total of 58 cases for the week.

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## WHAT IS THE MORRIS PLAN?

THE MORRIS PLAN is a unique system of lending money in small amounts at a fair rate of interest and on an easy-payment plan to worthy people, for worthy purposes.

THE MORRIS PLAN COMPANY OF LOWELL, located at 18 Shattuck street, operating exclusively THE MORRIS PLAN, was founded in 1917 with a paid in capital of \$100,000. The stockholders and directors are among the most representative men and women in the community, and whose names are a sufficient guarantee of the soundness and fairness of the PLAN. Since 1917 it has served nearly 2000 borrowers, and the loans made to these borrowers aggregate \$975,000.

OPEN FOR BUSINESS SATURDAYS  
9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## Dancing Tonight

—A. O. H. HALL—  
Markham's Orchestra No Intermission

## Campbell's Orchestra

ASSOCIATE HALL, TONIGHT, LOWELL'S LEADING JAZZ BAND  
A Place to Sit Down When Not Dancing and Hear Good Music  
ADMISSION, 35 CENTS — WAR TAX PAID



KING AND QUEEN IN STATE ROBES

The above picture, taken shortly after the opening of parliament, shows the king and queen of England in their state robes. It was snapped in the robing room of the House of Lords.

## LOWELL BOY WRITES FROM GERMANY

Although Lowell folks are forced to pay from \$50 up for a suit of clothes and \$3, \$10, \$12 and \$15 for shoes in these after-war times, over in far-away Germany one can still purchase the best suits at \$12 and \$15 and "kicks" for \$3, according to a letter received today by a member of The Sun staff from Arthur J. Denault, a Lowell boxer, better known in local circles as "Johnny Moran," who has for several years been a member of Uncle Sam's navy.

Not only clothing, but almost every other commodity is much cheaper in the "fatherland" than over here, Arthur states. There is plenty of work for everyone and the manufacturing plants, although short of raw materials, are having no difficulty in finding a market for their goods.

While Germans have apparently no hard feeling against the American people, the letter says that the people of the country still maintain their hatred for the English.

Denault served in the navy during the greater part of the world war and shortly after the cessation of hostilities, re-enlisted, this time in the merchant marine service. His letter, which was written at Hamburg, Germany, during the early part of February, is in part as follows:

Dear Friend:

Just a few lines to give you and my many Lowell friends a little news regarding myself. I left the Spindle City last September, bent on satisfying my wanderlust. I went first to Boston, then to Norfolk, Va., from there to Christburg, Panama next to Bluefields, Nicaragua, on to Costa Rica and then back again to Norfolk.

From Norfolk I went to Göteborg, Sweden, and then to Hamburg, Germany, by way of the Kiel canal. I guess that is stepping out some, and I doubt if Joe Gans or Corbett used better footwork than I have during the past few months.

I had a splendid time in Göteborg during the 23 days I stayed there. But I found Central America a trifle too hot. Was surprised at the way in which the folks in Germany are working to readjust themselves to the changed conditions. Their alibi for losing the war is that they had too many to whip—and they are not the least bit repentant for their part of it, apparently.

The attitude towards Americans is more or less friendly, but they still hate England and the English. Everything is quite cheap in Germany, except some of the foodstuffs, which are somewhat high in price. Clothing is cheaper than in any European or North American country. A suit of clothes which one can buy here for from \$12 to \$15 can't be equalled in the United States under \$30. Good shoes can be bought here for \$3.

Work is plentiful and the manufacturing plants, although in need of raw

# A Special Offering in Men's Shirts



That these shirts are wonderful values, is proved by the enthusiastic way men bought them last Saturday. They're expressly made for us in the smart new Spring colorings and designs. Absolutely fast colors. All fresh, perfect shirts.

PERCALE AND SERVICE CLOTH SHIRTS

## \$1.95

Cord Madras Shirts  
\$2.45

Admirable shirts at this remarkably low price. Plain and two-toned stripes on white grounds.

Silk Striped Madras Shirts

With silk striped cluster and neat striped patterns; wonderful shirts to suit every taste.



EXTRA SPECIAL VALUES IN

## Hosiery and Underwear

MEN'S CASHMERE HOSE, black, gray heel and toe..... 65¢

MEN'S WOOL MIXED UNION SUITS, medium weight and natural grey ..... \$3.50

THE MEN'S STORE

**Chalfoux's**  
CORNER  
THE STORE OF ABSOLUTE SATISFACTION

THE MEN'S STORE



James Barker

## LIKE CHICK AND EGG, THIS CAT TALE

**MOBILE**—Peter Clinton's feline factory is pretty nearly perpetual motion. Pete raises cats for their hides. He feeds the cats on catfish caught in the river. He feeds the catfish on the cats after he has undressed 'em. Cat hides sell for \$1.50 each. Clinton's factory is producing soft blue Maltese, but pretty soon he'll raise cats with black hair, yellow hair, and hairs of many hues.

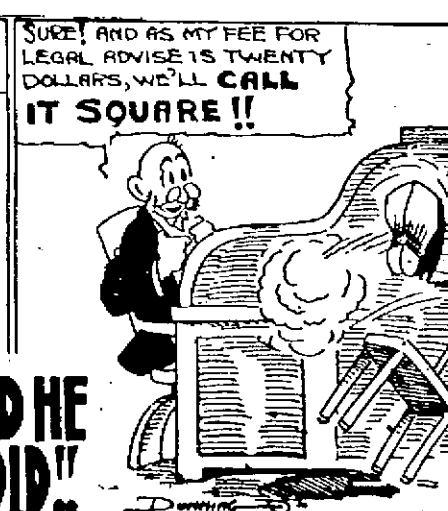
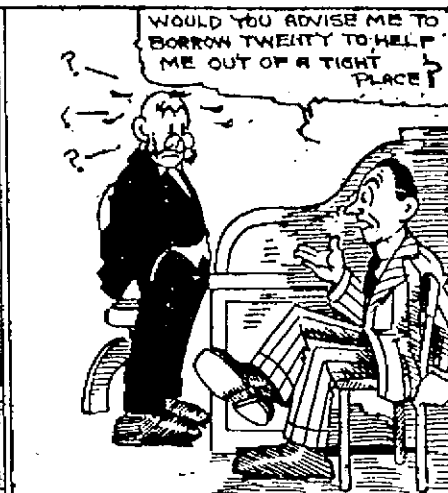
### BOOZE WAS VINEGAR

**DALLAS**—Nineteen guileless guzzlers told the police here that they had been allowed to smell and taste good whiskey by a very bad man and then paid him \$400 for 15 bottles of vinegar.

### AND HE DID

Fair Exchange, No Robbery

BY DUNNING



AND HE DID!!

## WHAT WON'T MAN DO FOR HIS WIFE?

**SEATTLE**—Maybe this bold bandit was married. Mrs. Pat Tammany had a vanity bag with satin pumps and lace window curtains in it, stolen when she rode a street car.

## HOME IS OPENED TO THE LONESOME

**AKRON**—Russell L. Booker and his wife open their big house every Wednesday night to Akron's lonesome folk. There's no organization and no obligations whatever. If you are a stranger or just plain lonesome you're welcome to the Russell home for music and conversation.

### FUNERAL PARLOR ZONES

**SAN DIEGO**—It is planned here to establish a "zone system" for undertaking parlors and crematories. These establishments could be located only in certain district unless 20 per cent. of the property owners in another district consented to other location.

The department of agriculture reports that enough Chilean nitrate will reach the United States to meet the nitrate requirement of American farmers this season.

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## RICH INDIAN MARRIES

Multi-Millionaire Redskin

Kidnapped, Is Claim—

U. S. Attorneys Throw Fit

By MABEL ABBOTT

**KANSAS CITY, March 4.**—Jackson Barnett, said to be the richest redskin in the world, got rich in spite of himself and now, according to his harassed guardian, he has got married in spite of himself.

The wife, who is alleged to have kidnapped the old Creek into a leap-year marriage, is a handsome white woman.

Barnett was one of the Creek Indians who resisted the parcels of their common land into parcels and its allotment to them individually. He refused to choose a piece of land, and the government finally had to select one for him and give it to him. Six years ago, oil was struck on this piece of land in quantities that made him a millionaire several times over.

Is Ward of the U. S.

Barnett is a ward of the United States. C. J. O'Hornett, banker, of Henryetta, Okla., was appointed his guardian. The position has been no sinecure lately.

Barnett has been living in an old cabin seven miles from Henryetta. Some two months ago, it is said, an attempt was made by a white woman to kidnap and marry him. The plan was spoiled by the refusal of two Oklahoma clerks to issue licenses.

Shortly afterward it was announced that Barnett had given a million and a half for charitable purposes. Before the question of whether he was competent to make such a gift had been settled, he disappeared; and the sheriff at Okmulgee telephoned the Tulsa police that he had been kidnapped again. He left Henryetta Sunday afternoon in a high powered automobile, with a white woman, it was said.

Emerges with Wife

The following day he emerged at peace. With a wife, who said she was Mrs. Anna Laura Lowe-Barnett, of Coffeyville, Kan., just across the state Kansas City; that they had been married at Coffeyville by a justice of the peace.

Barnett's age was given as 60, but he looks more. The bride gave hers as 51, but she looks about 30.

Cato Sells, Indian commissioner; Gabriel Parker, superintendent of the five civilized tribes, and Guardian O'Hornett, at once took steps to "res-

cue" Barnett by legal process. Mrs. Barnett announced that she had a gun and that the first trespasser in their apartment at the Coffeyville hotel would be shot.

Amusement Staff Filed

Barnett said he would like to go back to Oklahoma. "But I won't till my wife goes," he added.

Suit to annul the marriage has been filed in district court by government attorneys. Mrs. Barnett's attorneys say they will demand a trial of the charges of incompetency before a Kansas court. They also have served notice that Barnett has reclaimed all gifts he has made, and will hold his guardian responsible for the handling of his estate.

## BRAZIL'S NEW ENVOY

TO U. S. ARRIVES

**NEW YORK**—Here is Brazil's new ambassador to the United States—Augusto Alencar. He arrived in New



Tork a few days ago aboard the liner Kaiserin to take up his duties here. He visited England, where his son and daughter are being educated.

## MOTHERS

Reduce your doctor's bills by keeping always on hand—

**VICK'S VAPORUB**  
—YOUR BODYGUARD— 30¢, 60¢, \$1.25

## SENSATIONAL Advance Sale of SPRING MILLINERY



1200 SPRING HATS TO BE SOLD AT ABOUT HALF PRICE

A lucky and timely purchase of a manufacturer's spring hats enables us to scare away the tremendous prices of millinery at least FOR TEN DAYS.

Now, ladies, will you buy your hat now and ACTUALLY save a half of its price, or wait another month and pay double that amount?

We have a double reason for conducting this sale at this time of the year. First of all, we are striving to convince the ladies of Lowell that we can, and do sell our hats cheaper than any store in town. This we have tried for the last thirteen years and have partly succeeded. Secondly, as stated above, we had the opportunity to buy a big lot of up-to-date hats at a big discount, and rather than sell them at regular prices and make a big profit, we have decided to dispose of them at prices that beat those of 1917.

We just quote a few prices to give an idea of the extraordinary savings of this sale.

**SHAPES**—Different colors and styles, mostly blacks, worth \$3.00 and \$3.50 ..... **\$1.39**

**SHAPES**—Different colors and styles, worth \$4.00 ..... **\$1.98**

**TRIMMED AND UNTRIMMED HATS**—Worth from \$5 to \$7. **\$2.98 and \$3.98**

DON'T HESITATE. WASTE NO TIME. COME, RIDE OR WALK TO GORHAM STREET AND PARTAKE OF THIS GREAT SAVING EVENT.

— Sale Begins Saturday the 6th and Will Last 10 Days

# P. Sousa & Co.

99-103 Gorham Street

Open Evenings

## Here are Two Stunning Seasonable Styles in Newark Shoes for Women

With everyone telling you HOW MUCH good shoes will cost you this Spring, it makes us happy to be able to tell you HOW LITTLE you need to pay at the NEWARK Stores. Being the largest shoe retailers in the world, and controlling the entire output of several immense factories, we are able to give you values that CANNOT BE EQUALLED ELSEWHERE—and the best proof of this great fact will be found in the following two feature specials:

### No. 1. A Plain Smart Patent Leather Pump

Exceedingly graceful in design and of exceptionally fine quality. Has turned, sides, covered Louis heels with aluminum heel plates and is fitted with a severally heel lining.

Price Without Buckles **\$5.85**



The buckles featured on the pumps illustrated may be bought separately and can be easily attached to any pair of pumps without marring them in the least. A feature worth mentioning is that these buckles will prevent prying from cutting the foot at the front. A variety of beautiful styles to select from.

### No. 2. A Neat and Dressy New Oxford

that will be one of the most popular models during the coming season. It is made of fine patent leather, has covered Louis heels with aluminum heel plates, fitted with aluminum heel plates.

A Great Feature **\$4.95** at

## Newark Shoe Stores Co.

Largest Shoe Retailers in the World—200 Stores in 100 Cities.

LOWELL STORE

115 Central St., Opp. Strand Theatre

Open Saturday Night Until 10 O'Clock.





# THE LOWELL SUN

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## SAFETY FIRST

There is much need for a campaign such as that which Supt. Welch of the police department has arranged to inaugurate for one week beginning April 1st. The primary purpose of the campaign is to prevent street accidents which in recent years have become very numerous.

There are certain types of accidents which are frequently repeated showing that in spite of the serious consequences, the general public is as careless as ever. One of these results from the habit of stepping from the sidewalk without looking first to the left and then to the right to ascertain whether the path is clear. Many people in this way have stepped out in front of automobiles just as if they wanted to be killed.

The rear end accident is another type from which several deaths have resulted within the past few years. Somebody waits for a car or a big truck to pass and then shoots across the street in front of some rapidly moving vehicle that was hidden from view, with the result that a serious accident occurs.

Of course many children are killed as a result of using the busy streets as a playground. While absorbed in their games they frequently run in front of electric cars and autos with the usual result of either being killed or maimed for life.

The habit of catching on to passing autos and other vehicles has of late become very common among the youngsters, with the result that many of them are injured in trying to get off while the vehicle is moving at high speed. Sometimes, they are thrown off in front of other vehicles and are run over. In other cases they have to jump off when the vehicle is going at the rate of from twenty-five to forty miles an hour, thus taking the risk of being seriously injured.

There are various other classes of accidents in which full grown persons are injured quite as often as children. It is well known that a great many of the people who make a practice of walking on railroad tracks finally get struck by trains. It happens that while stepping from one track to avoid a train approaching in front, they are struck by one coming up behind. Owing to the noise of the train in front, they do not hear that which approaches behind and thus they lose their lives. There is scarcely a resident of Lowell who cannot recall fatal accidents of this kind.

What is needed for the promotion of safety and the prevention of accidents is the exercise of caution and common sense. The people who are injured in accidents are those who persist in taking dangerous chances and so long as they continue to do so, just so long will accidents be as numerous as they are today.

The Safety First movement has done a great deal to prevent accidents in factories by causing the operatives to be more careful, and there is no reason why similar results cannot be attained in regard to street accidents, provided something be done to drive the reckless chauffeurs and speed maniacs off the streets and highways.

## PRICES WILL BE LOWER

According to the opinion of experts, it appears probable that growing contraction of the domestic consumption and decline in exports due to the low rates of exchange in the allied nations will cause a steady decline in the prices of various commodities. Production is not kept up to the expected standard owing to a variety of causes. First of all, the hours of labor are shorter and secondly, many industries are crippled on account of transportation difficulties by which raw material is delayed in transit. There is scarcely an industry in the country that is not suffering from the latter cause with the result that not only is production retarded, but in some cases, many workmen are left in idleness.

The export of gold is another factor that will result in a reduction in prices. Recently, nearly forty million dollars in gold were exported to the Argentine republic to pay for commodities purchased there by England. It was a three-cornered transaction intended to overcome the disadvantage of our

high rate of discount on British money. Some British agency having credit in this country had the gold sent to South America to be used in purchasing raw materials which can be bought there at prices much lower than in the American market. This export of gold will help to deflate the currency or to reverse the process by which prices were originally advanced.

## IMPROVING THE MOVIES

While the subject of censorship of moving pictures is under discussion, it may be well to suggest an improvement in the pictures themselves that would add to their realism.

Nobody can deny the great value of moving pictures as a means of conveying instruction in a manner that would be practically impossible by any other means. There is no other way in which the movements of bodies, whether animated or otherwise, can be accurately represented so that the person who sees the moving film, say of an athletic exhibition, can get a very accurate idea of every movement of the athletes. There are features, however, which need to be improved as, for example, the elongation of the figures in the pictures out of all proportion to the reality. The lack of color offers another opportunity for improvement. If anything can be done to preserve the proper proportion in all the figures shown and to have the pictures show the colors also, the value of the movie exhibitions would be greatly enhanced. There is here an opportunity for those who are engaged in the production of pictures to take a step forward that would undoubtedly bring liberal rewards.

Moving picture exhibitions should be used to a greater extent for educational purposes, for which they are admirably adapted.

## THE BUILDING OUTLOOK

The F. W. Dodge building reports indicate that the constructional operations for the present year, despite the high cost of labor and material, will be about 40 per cent in excess of the best building record of the past. Only the limitation in supply can prevent the present large building program from being carried out. During the past year, the shortage of materials, the uncertainty of delivery on time and the insufficiency of labor, were the chief impediments to the completion of contracts on time. The big jobs that can use standardized materials will have less to fear from delays in delivery than the smaller that require special material and designs.

What all builders dread most, however, is interruption from labor troubles. With so many projects ahead and such great need of haste, it is to be hoped that arrangements will be made for a season of continuous work without the annoyance and delay caused by one craft striking today, another tomorrow or next day and so on, thus keeping the contractors in hot water all the time. That state of affairs causes loss not only to the contractors but to the men who strike. Better arrange in advance for the rate of wages so as not to hold up the great building program that looms big on the business horizon.

From Manchester, England, comes a new proposal for solving the acute housing shortage there. Manchester needs 20,000 workers' homes at once, and 50,000 within a short time. Private enterprise there, as here, has failed to provide the homes.

The Bricklayers' union of Manchester has secured the co-operation of all the other unions engaged in house-building and has proposed to the Manchester council that the workers be given the contract to build 2000 houses as an experiment. They believe that, working under their own leaders, responsible legally and financially for the output, and with the "team work" engendered by the knowledge that the whole return on the project will go to the workers and not to any contractor, they can do more and better work than any private contractor. The Manchester council has accepted the offer and awaits formal approval from the British government.

If the experiment succeeds, the workers in the building trades in-

dustries propose to expand their committee into a National Guild, which shall build houses all over England.

## PLUNKETT'S WARNING

Sir Horace Plunkett on his return to Ireland told his British friends a few things relative to the absurdity of the home rule bill offered by Lloyd George and the hatred of England in this country due to her stupid and unjust treatment of Ireland. Sir Horace has caught the sentiment accurately; and when he tells England that the Irish trouble has injured her internationally, he states a self-evident fact. Yet British Tories think they are benefiting England by keeping Ireland oppressed. It would be well for England if she were rid of the Tory aristocracy just as Germany is now relieved from the rule of the Hohenzollern autocrats who accomplished her downfall.

We sometimes wonder if there is really any reason for the statement that theatre audiences vary in the warmth of their appreciation according to the city in which they live. Theatre folks even aver that audiences on different evenings during a week are absolutely unlike in their show of applause. What can there be in the atmosphere of a city which so affects its people as to make them appreciative here and only lukewarm there? Nationalities are sometimes characterized as demonstrative and the opposite, but we never knew such differentiation was applicable to cities situated even within the same state. To localize, vaudeville patrons in Lowell vary in their need of applause. On one night, the audience is enthusiastic, while on another, it is half-heartedly appreciative, and these same nights may be found in each week and are so designated as "good" and "bad" evenings.

Congress undoubtedly some day will pass some sort of a bonus or appreciation bill, further compensating former service men for their war efforts. In the meantime, a seemingly endless chain of ideas is being considered link by link. Now comes Marvin Gates Sperry advocating a flat payment of \$500 to each man and in the same breath decries monthly payments ranging from \$30 to \$50 for each month in service, and says young Americans never could be paid enough for their sacrifice by "the skimping, miserly additional compensation bills pending before congress." Men who have 18, 20, 22 and 24 months of service to their credit will not view the \$50-a-month plan as "skimping."

It will be time enough for republicans to blame President Wilson for defeat of the treaty and postponement of peace with Germany when he has failed to approve the treaty in the form in which the senate may see fit to ratify it. Thus far, the senate has failed to ratify the treaty with or without reservations and for this President Wilson cannot be blamed. The responsibility rests on the senate so long as it fails to ratify the treaty in any form. This is a case in which the old game of "passing the buck" will fail to work.

If the charge made against the vice squad of the New York police department be true, conditions in that city must be deplorable. It is not the first time, however, in which New York detectives were found to be the protectors, patrons and beneficiaries of vice.

All Christendom should unite in favor of driving the Turk out of Europe and so restricting his power in Asia that he will never again be free to massacre defenseless peoples wherever he pleases.

New York proposes to add \$25,000,000 to the pay of its teachers. The amount may divide very perceptibly before the measure reaches the enacting stage.

Lowell schools have been hit hard by the hand of death of late. This, in addition to other causes, chiefly voluntary resignations, has left a number of vacancies to be filled.

Sanmaveo, the murderer of Policeman Clancy, gets off easy with a life sentence. Most people will believe that he richly deserved the death penalty.

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## SEEN AND HEARD

The proposed international farm conference may decide in favor of more plowing and less conferring.

There is a school for women voters in Chicago. Huh! A man doesn't have to know any thing to vote.

A. Damm is a candidate for treasurer at Cleveland, Ohio, and he says he doesn't care the sound of his name whether he gets it or not.

The former kaiser has given a hospital to a Dutch town. If the man can't keep 'em full he will give 'em away.

Criminal Lawyer Slick never makes his advance fee for defending a client larger than the amount the defendant is accused of stealing.

There are many who approve of the suggestion to deport Old Man Winter, to Russia, or to any other place far, far away.

Editor: Please don't pin a medal on the profiteer or the street car conductor, who starts up the car before I get my feet firmly on terra firma.—Reader. Request granted.

It's a mighty good thing for the weatherman that he doesn't have to get a majority of votes to stay in office. Or, maybe if he did, there'd be a more strenuous effort made to produce good weather?

The surest method of keeping the world healthy, observes Dr. Pillsbury, would be to meter the fresh air and make it so expensive that everybody'd kick like blazes if they couldn't get it all the time.

Easiest Thing Ever  
"I wish I knew how to make a barrel of money," sighed the Little Man.  
"That's easy," replied the Big Man. "Spend a half-barrel of money in advertising and you'll soon have a barrel of money."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Very Good Logic  
If you don't get your paper it is not our fault; we tried our best to get you to pay up, and we just can't do any more than that—you wouldn't for a minute submit to our going into your pockets and taking out the price of the subscription, now would you?—Royston, Ga., Record.

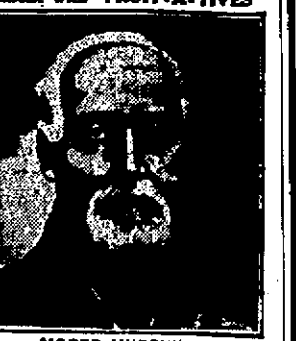
A Sign of Omission  
"When I enlisted," explained the doughboy with an injured air, "I read the posters that said, 'Join the army and see the world.'"  
"Yes," said the recruiting officer.  
"But after I was in," the soldier continued, "I found that two words had been omitted on the poster."  
"And what were they?"  
"On foot."—House Sector.

The Heave  
The other day a woman entered the office of — and asked him to be her lawyer in a divorce case. She said she had been married only a day.  
"Married only a day, and you want a divorce?" gasped —, incredulously.  
"Yes," insisted the woman, and explained:  
"When my husband came home from the office I was crying. He asked me why, and I said:  
"O John, I baked a lovely cake and put it out on the porch for the frosting to dry, and the dog ate it!"  
"And John said: 'Don't cry, dear. I know a man who will give us another dog.'"  
—London Opinion.

Panama By Barge  
The rubberneck automobiles that ply up and down the streets of so many American cities have a monster relative in the great barge that carries sight-seeing visitors through the Panama canal. The vessel was originally a steel dump barge, built for the canal excavators in 1909. It is 154 feet long, 32 feet wide and draws between 10 and 11 feet of water. Sloping seats like those in a grandstand have been built, and then covered with a roof on which other passengers may sit or stand.

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The barge carries two or three hundred persons, and it is handled by a tug lashed alongside.—Sun and New York Herald.

Pointed Paragraphs  
Hands that grasp too much hold but little.  
A successful fool always has plenty of fool admirers.  
The elevator may be lowered, but the boy who runs it is lifted.  
Some men are born kickers and some fall victims to dyspepsia.  
A pawnbroker who is always advancing is naturally progressive.  
A woman will pardon want of sense quicker than she will want of manners.  
Some men enjoy chronic laziness as much as others enjoy a well earned rest.  
An Ohio poet devotes an hour daily to writing poetry and the rest of the day to sawing wood for a living.  
Highwaymen ask too much when they command their victims to throw up their hands and throw down their arms.—Chicago News.

"The Postoffice Box"  
(Copyright, 1920, N.E.A.)  
Half seen from their kitchen, half hid from our pump  
In a circle of scrubs was a veteran stump.  
It was old, it was hollow, a perfect design  
For a box of ten and a sweetheart of nine.  
For although we met daily at school and at play,  
Our embarrassing tongues had but little to say.  
But we unpacked our hearts of their tenderest stocks  
As we emptied them into our postoffice box.  
"The rose is red, the rose is yellow,  
And you're my girl cause I'm your fellow."  
And whenever my hand left a violet note  
Which told what my tongue had no courage to quote,  
I would signal at once (to avoid any scandal)  
By hanging my hat on the pump's pointing handle.  
And when she had answered, she made the fact clear  
By a back-sweeping flash of an eloquent mirror.  
For love looks all barriers, laughs at all locks  
And heart flows to heart through a postoffice box.  
"If you love me as I love you,  
No knife shall cut our love in two."  
O, still I can thrill with that perfumed delight  
When her little pink paper broke on my sight.  
But more I remember the felt of despair  
When my rummaging hand found no heart into my sack.  
Whether traitor discovered, or treason befell  
I was too proud to ask, she was too shy to tell.  
Ah, how empty is life when an empty heart  
A hungering heart at the postoffice box!  
"Marble is cold and granite's hard;  
A false heart reaps its own reward."  
I saw her today, with her triplicate chin;  
And her waist sloping out where it ought to slope in.  
And I'm sure that she thought, as she eyed me askance  
"Could ever that creature inspire a romance?"  
O, the old stump is vanished and gone to decay,  
But the hollowness of it is hollow today.  
And its might-have-been sinks my heart into my sack.  
As I look at my love of our postoffice box.  
"Romance is dead, since heaven has willed  
To show my early love full-filled."  
—EDMUND VANCE COOKE.

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WASHINGTON, March 6.—Five million barrels of federal grain corporation soft wheat flour will be sold on credit in Europe soon unless congress authorizes \$50,000,000 loans to finance the sales, Julius Barnes, head of the corporation told the house rules committee yesterday. He said he now had authority to make the sales on credit but hoped the loans would be authorized.

The flour, now held at American ports and for which the corporation asked \$10.75 a barrel, is "the cheapest in the world," Mr. Barnes told the committee. He added that "every effort had been exhausted to sell it for cash" but that American housewives would pay higher prices for the hard wheat flour.

"Why are prices of flour going up?" asked Representative Fess, republican, Ohio.  
"The last year crop yield was a peculiar one," answered Mr. Barnes.  
"There was a small yield of the strong wheat and a big yield of the soft wheat. Flour made of the soft wheat could be obtained for domestic use at all times at the exact reflection of the government guaranteed price of wheat.  
"The pressure for a different kind of flour by the housewives led the millers to bid up the prices and in North Dakota in five months the hard wheat price was increased 60 cents a bushel above the guarantee."  
Charges of the Spokane, Wash., grand jury alleging wheat prices manipulation by grain corporation agents were mentioned. Mr. Barnes said he had asked the department of justice to make a thorough investigation. The grand jury report was a statement on economic conditions in the Pacific northwest, Mr. Barnes said, and recommended that "the president use powers that do not exist." He added that the corporation had not bought wheat or flour at more than the guarantee price.  
Max H. Houser, vice president of the corporation and in charge of its work in the Pacific northwest, named in the Spokane report as interested financially in several grain companies, was declared by Mr. Barnes to be "an honest man." Houser, he said, has dissociated himself voluntarily from the companies in which he was interested, as far as possible, but "could not withdraw his capital investment from the companies." Being thus unable to withdraw completely from those companies, Mr. Barnes said Houser kept out of their conduct and gave all earnings about 6 per cent, on his investment to charity. This was a fine exhibition, Mr. Barnes declared.

Germany, which before the war, was second only to England as a purchaser of Argentine products, is beginning to resume her trade with Argentina.

BOSTON, March 6.—Judge Hitchcock of the superior court found for the city of Boston in a suit brought by Henry J. McKenney to recover \$117, which he claimed under an act of 1917 which allowed cities and towns to pay men in their employ who served in the army or navy the difference between the amount of money received from the government and what they would have been paid by the municipality in which they were employed.  
McKenney worked for the board of public works in Boston for \$100 per month. He was drafted on Sept. 22, 1917, and served in the army until May 3, 1919. He says the city of Boston should pay him the difference between his army pay and \$100 a month while he was absent.  
Judge Hitchcock ruled that the statute applied only to volunteers and not to drafted men.

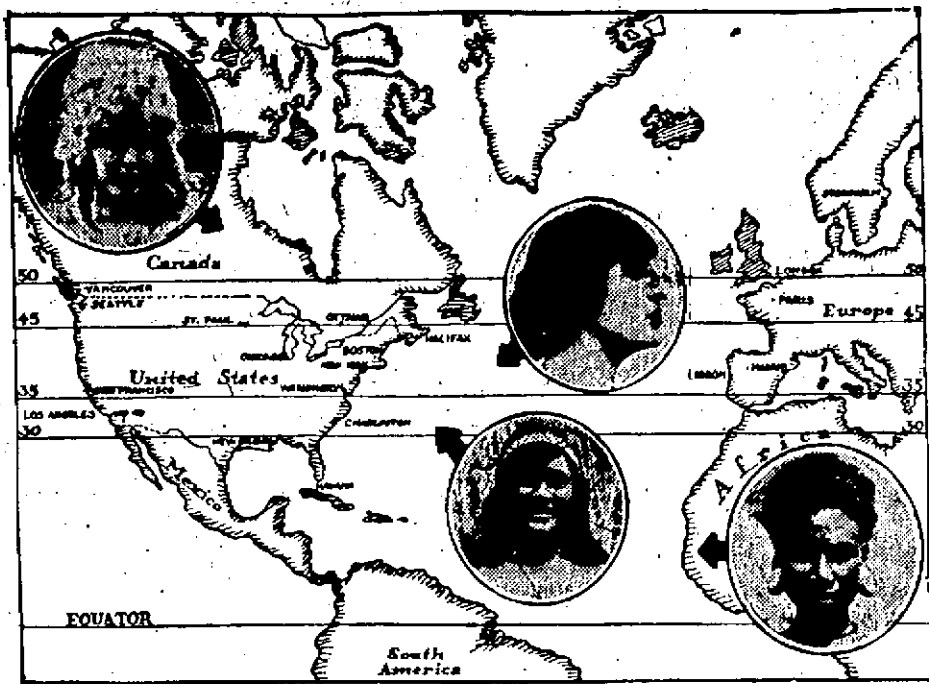
LOWELL BOYS' CLUB  
"It's Life for His Country," a thrilling movie of the great out-doors, will be shown at the Lowell Boys' club on Dutton street Tuesday evening and all indications point to a "packed house." The picture was put on Thursday evening and the crowd of youngsters who journeyed to the club to see it was so large that Capt. Jeyes was forced to turn many away.

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# New "Zone Theory" of Unhappiness, Ill-Health and Death Sprung by Dr. O'Malley is Being Seriously Investigated



BERRKLEY, Cal., March 6.—Are you nervous and irritable? Sick of the world, and work? Mean to your wife? Or marry to your kids? Maybe it's merely because you're a blonde and have strayed down into a heat zone, or a brunette in the wrong light belt.

This new "zone theory" of unhappiness, ill-health and even death rates, based for the scientific world by Dr. O'Malley, is being seriously investigated by the University of California and other institutions throughout America.

**Blondes Beware**

Meantime, Dr. O'Malley may be right. So you'd better be careful where you settle, and study yourself in the looking glass before you change your climate.

This, for instance, is what happens to a man who migrates wrong. "Suppose," says Dr. O'Malley, "a man from Scotland, which has an average of 50 cloudy days, a year and a very blinding sun, migrates to Yuma, Arizona, where there are 12 cloudy days, very slightly blinding sun and sometimes a temperature of 129 degrees. He is stimulated for a short time, then seriously exhausted and finally degenerates rapidly."

**Dark Explained**

The jazz-fu and peppy North American should not boast of his energy, thinks Dr. O'Malley, for, according to his theory, he is suffering from excitability produced by too much sun. The United States is peopled mostly

by pale-skinned people from Ireland, England, Scotland, Germany and Scandinavia, while its latitude fits best the darker skinned people.

From South Carolina to the Canadian border is the zone that corresponds in light and summer heat to the dwelling place of the olive-skinned Mediterranean type of man. South of South Carolina even darker skinned people should live.

**Externalized**

Madrid, Naples and Constantinople are all north of Philadelphia, and New York is as far south as Naples, Boston and Chicago are in a line with Rome, and Washington city is at the level of French Africa.

A man moving from North Ireland to Philadelphia goes 1000 miles south, or 1700 miles if he goes to New Orleans.

"About 50 years ago a large Norwegian colony settled in Texas 2000 miles south of their old home," said Dr. O'Malley. "Today there is not a single descendant of that colony in existence."

"The Yankee goes down to Georgia to take charge of a cotton mill, and for six months he awakens the sleepers, then he joins them. The Pennsylvanian and Maryland line in Washington's army was made up entirely of Irish; there are now almost no Irish names among the Daughters of the Revolution."

**Its Violet Ray**

"The Vandals went down from Bran-

denburg, and some 50,000 of them passed over into Northern Africa, about the level of Virginia. This was in 428 A.D. By 356 the Vandals disappeared from history, annihilated not by war or pestilence but by climate."

The physical explanation of this is that ultra-violet rays change the protoplasm of the skin so as to let in salts which kill the cells. The dark-skinned people are protected by a changed pigment which resists the damaging light, while the blond races are detrimentally affected in bright light zones by lack of protective pigment.

Dr. O'Malley's contention is that most of the United States is unsuited for north Europeans, and that, except for constant renewal of this stock by immigration, the only people to survive here indefinitely would be the olive skinned people of southern Europe.

## The Map Shows

Corresponding light zones in the United States and Europe, and the races best adapted to live in them with maximum comfort and happiness, according to investigations by Dr. O'Malley, noted scientist whose theories are being widely discussed and tested. Humidity, says Dr. O'Malley, modifies the effect of heat and light, to that zones shown in the map show only the approximate belts, rather than specific limits.

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## CITY OF LOWELL

**NOTICE OF HEARING**  
The Municipal Council of the city of Lowell will give a hearing in its room, City Hall, Tuesday, March 23, 1920 at ten o'clock, a. m. on petition of Alger G. Johnson

For a permit to conduct and maintain a garage at premises, 37-39 Paige street.

By order of the Municipal Council, STEPHEN FLYNN, Clerk.

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Lawrence police report the detection of several very cleverly forged \$20 bills in that city, which have been passed upon several merchants. The forgers raise a \$5 bill to a \$20 by erasing part of the 5 and substituting the higher figures. Only one such bill has been passed on a local concern as yet.

# GIRLS Attention

We have several vacancies for girls on light bench work. This class of work is very interesting. We can pay \$16 per week to start. Working hours are from 7 to 5 daily and 7 to 12 Saturday. The pay is by an hourly rate until the worker becomes efficient, after which time piece rates prevail. Competent girls are able to make good wages. Apply to the Employment Manager,

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# TROLLEY ROUTE CLOSED BY LAND SLIDE

About 100 feet of the reinforced embankment on the Christian Hill slope in First street, gave away last night, letting a mass of mud and slush spread over the car tracks to a depth of two feet and entirely closing the Lowell-Lawrence trolley route. The slip occurred at the end of the granite wall this side of Lowell street. The part of the embankment to give way has been held up by a revetment of railroad ties for many years, but has given trouble on other occasions. The gravel and mud which now covers the tracks cannot be pushed aside by a plow and will have to be cut away by a team of horses drawing a scoop shovel.

# DEATHS

**HOWE**—Margaret Howe, aged 80 years, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 208 South street, after a brief illness. Mrs. Howe was a resident of Lowell for the past 61 years. She leaves one sister, Mrs. Ann Connor, and several nieces and nephews.

**THOMPSON**—James S. Thompson, formerly of this city, died at 41 in Hamilton, Ont., after a brief illness of pneumonia. He is survived by his wife, his mother, two daughters, Vera B. and Mrs. Frank Hunter, also by three brothers in this city, John A., William W. and Robert W. Thompson. Before going to Hamilton to assume a responsible position in a knitting mill, Mr. Thompson was a member for many years with the Lawrence Mfg. Co. here.

**CROCKETT**—Sarah L. Crockett, widow of Leander P. Crockett, died today, March 6th, at 21 Maple street, aged 84 years, 2 months and 23 days. She leaves one son, Elmer L. Crockett, one daughter, Mrs. Laura B. Martyn and 13 grandchildren.

**WILLIAMS**—Mrs. Mary Williams died this morning at the Christian Hill hospital, after she leaves a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Catherine Williams. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Funeral notice later.

**BEAUCHEUNE**—George Henri, aged 2 years and 8 months, infant son of Joseph and Dorinda Beauchene, died today at the home of his parents, 145 North street.

**SIMONEAU**—Alexandre, aged 2 days, infant son of Alexandre and Odile Simoneau, died last night at the home of his parents, 75 Bennett street. Burial took place at 1 o'clock this afternoon in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Amodeo Archambault & Sons.

**McLAUGHLIN**—Miss Elizabeth McLaughlin, died at the home of her brother, Frank A. McLaughlin, 171 High street. The body was removed to the home of her niece, Mrs. Frank McLaughlin, 154 Concord street, by Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons. Deceased leaves a brother, Frank A. McLaughlin; a sister, Mrs. Fannie Marshall, and several nieces.

**BUGLER**—Frederick Jack Bugler died this morning at the home of his parents, Jack and Clara Bugler, 153 Adams street, at the age of 2 years. He is survived by his parents and by five sisters.

# FUNERALS

**PETER**—The funeral services of Mrs. Christine B. Peter were held yesterday afternoon at her home, 55 Norcross street, and were largely attended. Rev. James Craig, pastor emeritus, and Rev. J. E. Kennedy, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiated. There was appropriate singing by Mrs. Peter and her family. Burial was in the cemetery at 2 o'clock. The bearers were Hector and Thomas Sutherland, Hadden H. Russell and William J. Webb. The casket was borne by the following bearers: Messrs. Timothy J. Danahy, Clement O'Loughlin, Patrick Kinner, Harry Lyons, Thomas Baxter, and Joseph McVey. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read at the grave by Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I., the pastor. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Loughlin & Pay.

**O'LOUGHLIN**—The funeral of Mrs. Mary O'Loughlin took place this morning from the home of her son-in-law, Joseph Baker, 217 West London street, at 9 o'clock. The cortege was attended by many sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where a requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. John Doherty, O.M.I. The sanctuary choir, under the direction of Mr. John Kelly, sang the Gregorian chant. There was a profusion of beautiful floral offerings to testify the high esteem in which the deceased was held, as well as many beautiful bouquets. The casket was borne by the following bearers: Messrs. Timothy J. Danahy, Clement O'Loughlin, Patrick Kinner, Harry Lyons, Thomas Baxter, and Joseph McVey. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read at the grave by Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I., the pastor. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Loughlin & Pay.

**WHITE**—The funeral of John White

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took place this morning from the home of his aunt, Mrs. Mary R. Kilmartin, 30 Burlington avenue at 8:30 o'clock and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Bernard Bourke, O.M.I. The sanctuary choir, under the direction of Mr. John Kelly, sang the Gregorian chant. There were many floral tributes and spiritual bouquets. In attendance at the funeral services in the church were the Sisters of Notre Dame academy and scholars. The bearers were Bernard E. Bourke, John Joseph Bourke, cousins of deceased; Matthew Molloy, Harry Ryan, Charles Belling and Richard White, all of whom are in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Bernard Bourke of the Immaculate Conception church, New York City, uncle of deceased, sang the Mass. The casket was borne by the following bearers: Messrs. Timothy J. Danahy, Clement O'Loughlin, Patrick Kinner, Harry Lyons, Thomas Baxter, and Joseph McVey. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read at the grave by Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I., the pastor. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Loughlin & Pay.

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# ARCHITECT DISCUSSES HOUSING PROBLEM

Housing problems as developed by the very poor being crowded out by the well-to-do people, who can control their environment, were discussed yesterday afternoon by Miss Eleanor Manning, a Boston architect, at the Rogers Hall School. "We speak of the housing problem in connection with the poor as though they were the only ones involved," said Miss Manning. "What is needed is some legal constructive policies which will enforce proper building. There are enough regulations restricting the erection of houses. Constructive legislation would require proper lighting, ventilation and space for the rearing of healthy children." Miss Manning spoke of one house in the North End of Boston which looked all right from the outside, having plenty of windows although some of them opened out to an alley, but the house sheltered 57 families.

"A man should own his home and not rely upon industrial employers to build it for him. If he does rely upon an employer he is tied down to one job and possibly to unsatisfactory conditions also. Although there are some concerns who are able to manage the housing problem in a satisfactory way, that is not generally the case."

"A new development is coming to the front which purposes to rid the community of slums by alteration of existing conditions. In Boston a plan to construct a good, wide street from the North to the South station would rid the city of every dark room in that section, but as the cost is estimated at two million dollars, the taxpayers cannot see it. They have not enough community spirit."

"We must have building zones. The residential streets should not be free to the building of apartment houses and large business blocks. The apartment house has originated from a poor idea, but they are not built right. The plan of grouping dwellings is very much better," concluded Miss Manning.

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Luther Faulkner, commander of the local American Legion Post, will be delayed one or two days longer in the south because of the illness of his wife there. Mrs. Faulkner became ill a short time ago and Commander Faulkner went down south to visit her.

Funeral processions in the city today were greatly hampered by the storm and the usual services and prayers at the grave were abandoned in almost every instance. No attempt was made to enter the cemeteries, processions stopping at the gate and allowing a wagon to carry the casket to the burial lot.

Twenty-one applicants for positions in the field service of the United States post office department took an examination in the aldermanic chamber at city hall today under the auspices of Albert Sparks of the civil service commission. The examination began at 9 and lasted until 2 p. m.

Today's storm prohibited the ash collectors of the health department from making their customary visit to Belvidere and Agent Francis J. O'Hare said this noon that the collections in that section would be made tomorrow.

The many friends of Miss Grace Flanagan of Willow street will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from her recent illness.

City Solicitor William D. Regan has received from Albert P. Langtry, secretary of the commonwealth, a copy of the text of the law recently signed by Governor Coolidge authorizing this city to borrow \$600,000 additional beyond the debt limit for the new high school. The bill is worded practically as when first submitted to the legislature.

# BILL BACKS UP VOLSTEAD ACT

PROVIDENCE, March 6.—An act to enforce the 15th amendment to the constitution of the United States, containing all of the features of regulation and the penalties of the Volstead act, was introduced in the house yesterday afternoon by Representative Everett P. Mathewson of Hopkinton, and sent to the special legislation committee.

The measure, which is of unusual length, is practically identical with the Volstead act with two exceptions. One makes the attorney general the prosecuting officer and the other gives the fines to the state treasurer instead of the federal government.

In substance, the act prohibits the sales for beverage purposes of any and all liquors and liquors of any description containing one-half of one per cent or more of alcohol.

# LEAGUE OR THE BIGGEST NAVY

Daniels Favors Greatest World Navy If Senate Refuses To Ratify Treaty

# Tells House Naval Committee There Must Be No "Middle Ground"

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Secretary Daniels told the house naval committee today he would recommend a naval building program for the next fiscal year larger than that proposed by the general board "if the peace treaty is not ratified at this session of congress." Withholding final recommendation, however, the secretary added that if this country in the end rejected membership in the league of nations, he would feel impelled to renew his recommendation for another three-year program of construction.

Reiterating his statement of last year that "we must have a League of Nations by which every nation will help preserve the peace of the world without competitive naval building or we must have incomparably the biggest navy in the world," Mr. Daniels declared there was no "middle ground."

"I had hoped to appear before this committee today," the secretary continued, "with a final recommendation as to a building program, but as the senate has not yet acted upon the peace treaty, there are uncertainties in the situation. If the covenant had been ratified our duty would have been plain with the league in operation, composed at first of all the nations allied or associated in the world war and with provision for admittance of all other nations opposed to conquest and militarism. It would not be necessary to impose on the taxpayers of America the assessments necessary for building more capital ships."

The program which the secretary recommended he authorized in event the treaty is not ratified, agreed with the general board's proposal as to capital ships—two battleships and one battle cruiser—plus added to that proposal twenty-eight light cruisers and 14 flotilla leaders, or super-destroyers. No light cruisers and only six super-destroyers were recommended by the board.

It had been his intention if the peace treaty were ratified "with the possibility of armaments being curtailed and regulated" the secretary declared, to recommend definitely only such a "moderate" building program necessary to "round out the fleet." No capital ships would have been included in this program he added, but in the unsettled condition of the world today, he declared, the American navy "must be prepared for any emergency."

"The question for you to decide," the secretary told the committee, "is whether the United States in future building shall undertake simply to round out its navy by building units of types in which we are now short or shall embark on further expansion in addition."

Secretary Daniels emphasized the fleet's deficiency in light cruisers and other secondary craft as demonstrated by war lessons. The present battleship strength, he pointed out, would soon be increased by the 10 dreadnaughts now building, "more powerful than any battleships afloat," in addition to the six battle cruisers under construction, necessitating more auxiliary craft.

Destroyers and other anti-submarine craft construction during the war, Mr. Daniels said, had taxed facilities and prevented balanced additions to the fleet, while Great Britain had been able to carry out a well balanced program. He pointed out that the British navy had increased its light cruisers to 78 against which the American navy has only three, all of doubtful value.

In addition to capital ships the secretary's contingent program included six scout cruisers, eight mine laying cruisers, six fleet submarines, four air-plane carriers and other auxiliary craft.

# FUNERAL NOTICES

**BOTHWELL**—Mrs. Petronella Bothwell died this morning at St. John's hospital. Body was removed to the parlors of Undertaker Joseph S. Danahy. Funeral will be held Tuesday morning from her residence, 532 Graham street.

**THATCHER**—The funeral of Mr. Walter Thatcher will take place Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his home, 511 Bridge street. Relatives and friends invited. Burial strictly private. Interment will be in the Eastern cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

# ATTACKS "DRY" AMENDMENT

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The prohibition amendment and portions of the enforcement act were attacked as unconstitutional in a brief filed in the supreme court today by the Kentucky Distillers & Warehouse Co. In appeals from federal court decisions holding the acts valid. The case will be argued Monday along with the Rhode Island and other cases.

# MEMORIAL COMMITTEE MEETING TUESDAY

The Pawtucketville memorial committee will meet next Tuesday evening at the Pawtucket Congregational church at 8 o'clock to make arrangements for a number of events to be conducted after Lent in aid of the memorial fund. Members of the Glee club of the local council of the Knights of Columbus have offered to repeat their annual minstrel show for the benefit of the fund in Association hall on April 15 and details of this affair will be arranged at Tuesday's meeting.

A committee from the Pawtucketville Social club, Joseph A. Payette, chairman, will be present to present plans for a whist party and dance to be run by that organization for the benefit of the memorial fund in the near future. Definite arrangements will also be made for the carnival to be held during the week of May 11.

# LOWELL MEN MADE DIFFICULT AUTO TRIP

"The roads were rough and we had some narrow escapes, but we finally arrived at Providence, R. I., without any serious accident," said one of a party who came over the road from Detroit, Mich., in automobiles under the guidance of Stephen Rochette of the Lowell Motor Mart.

Mr. Rochette and eight other Lowell men left Feb. 21 for Detroit for the purpose of driving nine Dodge cars over the road to this city because the railroad was unable to transport the cars. The party consisted of the following: Mr. Rochette, Arthur G. Leveille, J. Omer Allard, Edward Burns, Joseph Quinn, Joseph McCann, Sam Sands and William Dineen. They arrived at Detroit the following morning and on the afternoon of the same day they started over the road on their homeward trip, arriving in Providence Thursday afternoon. They attempted to continue their trip to Lowell, but they were handicapped by the depth of the snow and were forced to leave their machines in Providence and come to Lowell by train, arriving here at midnight Thursday.

While the party was on its homeward trip the mother of J. Omer Allard, Mrs. Edouard Vallerand passed away, and all efforts on the part of local relatives to locate Mr. Allard on the road were fruitless, and the latter did not learn of his mother's death until he reached Lowell the night before the date set for the funeral.

One of the members of the party stated this morning that the trip was one of endurance in which several narrow escapes took place. He said when the party left Detroit a week ago last Thursday afternoon there was a little snow and ice, but the roads were in fairly good condition. "All went well," he said, "until we reached the mountains in New York, where we had considerable trouble, owing to the slippery condition of the roads. We passed a point in the mountains, where two days previous a machine containing two men skidded and went over a cliff. Both men were killed and the car was destroyed. We had been informed of the dangerous condition of the road and it was on our nerves, so to speak, that we passed the danger spot. One of our machines skidded to about 15 inches from the edge of the cliff and it was only through very careful driving and some luck that the driver succeeded in getting by."

"From that point we were forced to drive in ruts of ice and it was with considerable difficulty that we managed to get over the road. Our cars kept close to each other and in many instances when we met other machines we were forced to help the strangers out of the ruts in order to let us by. At Jenertown, Penn., we were stalled in the snow and were forced to lay off a half day and wait until the municipal plows had opened the road for us. We arrived at Seneca, Conn., after considerable hardship and from there to Providence we found the roads bad, but passable. We arrived at Providence last Thursday afternoon and attempted to con- tinue, but the roads were impassable and we had to store the machines and finish the trip to this city by train. A member of the party lost his way in the state of New York and we lost track of him. We did not hear from him until we reached Providence, whence we were informed that he had arrived safely at Springfield, but was unable to continue his course to Lowell on account of the condition of the roads. He stored his machine in Springfield and came to Lowell by train."

When the party left Detroit zero weather was prevailing, but the men did not suffer from cold. Included in the machines taken over were touring cars, commercial trucks and Sedan automobiles, all of the Dodge make. As soon as the condition of the roads is favorable the cars will be driven to this city. The party covered a distance of 945 miles through snow and over icy roads, driving from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. and covering an average of between 125 and 150 miles a day.

# DEATHS

**THATCHER**—Walter Thatcher, a well known resident of Lowell, died this morning at his home, 511 Bridge street, aged 78 years. He is survived by his daughter, Miss Sally Thatcher and three nieces, Mrs. Clara Walton, Mrs. Sally Logan and Mrs. Bessie McQuade. Friends are kindly requested to omit flowers.

**MASS NOTICE**  
There will be a month's mind mass offered by the Holy Name society of St. Michael's church at 8 o'clock Monday morning for the repose of the soul of Michael Allen Sullivan at St. Michael's church.

**MASS NOTICE**  
A month's mind mass at St. Patrick's church Monday morning at 8 o'clock for James P. Deleahanty.

**MRS. MICHAEL DELEAHANTY** and Family.

# WEAKENED VICTIMS OF EPIDEMIC NEED Pure Food Tonic Like Father John's Medicine to Rebuild Wasted Tissue.

Thousands of victims of the recent grip epidemic find the struggle to regain strength very hard because the grip seems to have left them in a weakened, run-down condition which hangs on. At such a time the weakened system falls an easy victim to any disease germs.

During this period of weakness Father John's Medicine proves its value as a pure food tissue builder. It is composed of pure and wholesome, nourishing elements which are easily taken up by the weakened system and promptly made into new flesh and strength. Because it is guaranteed free from alcohol or dangerous drugs in any form, Father John's Medicine is a safe tonic to take after the grip or a heavy cold.

The racking, irritating cough which often follows the grip is another dangerous feature which Father John's Medicine promptly relieves, because the soothing, healing elements in this old-fashioned, family medicine allay the irritation and help to heal the throat and breathing passages. The gentle, laxative effect of Father John's Medicine drives out impurities and restores normal health. Keep a bottle in the house right along.—Adv.

# Schedule of Increases Continued

available funds of the department, as decided by the municipal council when it fixed the annual budget last Monday. The commissioner took exception to the impression which has gained ground that whatever amount of increases he decided upon for his men would be the basis on which other departments would decide their advances and says that he has been in consultation with nobody on the matter except the superintendent of streets.	Old Rate	New Rate	Increase	Aggregate Increase
Sparrow Men .....	\$2.75	\$3.20	.45	2,830.00
Laborers .....	4.25	4.50	.25	15,264.00
Barn Men .....	4.26	4.75	.49	658.00
Timber Men .....	4.31	4.75	.44	1,452.00
Foremen .....	4.60	5.00	.40	210.00
				27,517.00

# Storm Becomes Genuine Blizzard

NORTHAMPTON, March 6.—The rain storm of yesterday turned about last night into a blustering snow storm, and this morning eight inches of snow had fallen and later in the day the storm had become genuine blizzard.

The street cars on all lines have ceased running. The highway are in a horrible condition for traveling. Slush and snow are six inches deep on the walks. Steam roads are running with great difficulty.

# Christian Science Case Continued

says, referring to the deal creating the Publishing society trustees, "seems to me to contemplate a church where voting members were to elect the new members and make its by-laws, and a publishing society in close alliance with, but not under the rule of the church or its officers."

The court further held that Judge Dodge, who formerly was judge of the United States circuit court here, was appointed as master by Judge Loring of the supreme court to determine the facts at issue, and also to interpret two deeds of trust made in 1892 and 1893, respectively, by Mary Baker Eddy, founder of the Christian Science church. In the first trust deed, Mrs. Eddy named four trustees, since designated as directors, and in the second she provided for trustees who should have charge of all publications intended to promote the growth of the Christian Science movement.

The trustees of the publishing society claimed that under their deed they were independent of control by the directors. The directors contended that under the by-laws and manual of the mother church they were the supreme authority over all its activities.

Judge Dodge upholds the ground taken by counsel for the trustees and for Dittmore that the by-laws of the church did not confer power upon the directors possessed by "deacons" or "wardens" of churches incorporated under the statutes of Massachusetts. These by-laws, in the opinion of Judge Dodge, are simply a contract created by the signed applications for membership in the church.

He denies the contention of counsel for the directors appointed under the deed of trust of 1892, that these directors and those created by the church by-laws are one and the same body, having equal powers and authority to dismiss one of their own members as well as a trustee of the publishing society.

The master rules that at present there are two sets of directors of the Christian Science Church, each having the same name, one constituted of a board of four under the deed of 1892, and the other of five members acting under the by-laws made by the directors in 1903 after "First Members" of the church had transferred their powers to the directors.

In deciding in favor of Rowlands, Judge Dodge says that his removal by the directors was unlawful because there was not concurrent action on the part of the First Members of the Christian Science Church as required by the deed of Mrs. Eddy relating to vacancies.

If the "First Members" had the power to abolish themselves and transfer their duties to the directors, says the master, those directors were the ones appointed under Mrs. Eddy's deed and not the directors since created by the by-laws of the church.

The only two directors, he says, who had a right to vote to remove Rowlands were Adam H. Dickey and William R. Rathvon, and their votes were not a majority of the board. Edward A. Merrill, a by-law director, Judge Dodge finds, had no right to vote.

# EXCELLENT PROGRAM FOR IRISH CONCERT

So absorbed and interested have the American people become in the activities and ambitions of the Irish race that anything calculated to add to their knowledge of the Gaelic character is assured of an eager welcome. Their longing for national independence and the determination with which they are seeking to satisfy that longing at the present time has won the heartfelt sympathy and unstinted admiration of the people of this freeland, who will never forget that they were once in a similar predicament.

There is, however, another phase of the Irish mind which deserves attention. No race has a greater store of native poetry and song. The great bards of Erin have given to the world an almost inexhaustible supply of exquisite music in which is clearly portrayed the predominant characteristics of their beloved nation. From such an abundance there is little difficulty in selecting material for the entertainment of practically any gathering.

On Sunday, March 11, the Mother Temperance Institute will present their annual Irish concert, and with full appreciation of the possibilities offered them by this vast accumulation of musical gems they have not only made their selections with scrupulous care but have secured the very best talent available for their rendition. In this way the public is assured of a concert which it will be a real pleasure to attend, one which will hold the interest from the overture to the final curtain. In the ensemble numbers the work of the chorus of eighty mixed voices will show the results of weeks of rehearsal under the tutelage of Director Frank Clarke, and the accompanying orchestra, with Paul Angelo, the pianist directing, will be all that could be desired.

In the past the demand for tickets at these concerts has been a great and the seating accommodation so limited, that this year the committee in charge has felt the necessity of securing a more commodious auditorium and have engaged the Lowell Opera House. They have also decided to have a matinee performance and thus present an opportunity for all who wish to attend to secure desirable seats. The program at both performances will be precisely the same. Advance sale of seats starts next Wednesday at Opera House box office.

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## MEETING OF COMMUNITY COUNCIL

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS OF  
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AT 175 DUTTON STREET  
Monday, March 8th Supper Served at 6.30 P. M.  
— SPEAKER: —  
**John J. Mahoney, State Supervisor of Americanization**  
— SUBJECT: —  
**"AMERICANIZATION"**  
Other Important Subjects to Be Discussed Are the Payment to Be Held in the Spring  
— THE IMMEDIATE COMMUNITY CAMPAIGN FOR LOWELL'S COMMUNITY SERVICE —

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# THE WEATHER

Clearing and colder tonight;  
Sunday, fair and continued  
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# Worst Storm of Winter

## BOND DRIVE OVER THE TOP

Workers For Irish Fund  
Reach Goal After Two  
Weeks' Efforts

Lowell First City in State  
To Finish Campaign—  
Meeting Tomorrow

After two weeks of campaigning in the worst kind of winter weather that the city has known for many years and with the additional handicap of illness in hundreds of homes, the 500 solicitors who undertook to sell \$50,000 worth of Irish republic bonds in Lowell reached their goal last evening and at noon today were well on their way toward the \$65,000 mark.

The drive will be declared formally closed at a meeting in Hibernian hall tomorrow evening but campaign headquarters in the Howe building will be continued to page 4, second section.

## KILLED BY SNOW PLOW

Man Run Down During  
Storm—City of North  
Adams Isolated

NORTH ADAMS, March 6.—The worst blizzard that has visited Northern Berkshire in years has resulted in one death. Roderic White, aged 26, of Adams, was killed in that town early this morning, by a snow plow on the Boston and Albany railroad. He was walking the tracks on his way to take a train, and in the snow and wind did not hear or see the plow coming from behind him. The city of North Adams, which is absolutely isolated for the first time this winter, is mobilizing all citizens for a concerted attack as soon as the storm abates.

## ARMY ESSAY CONTEST

Frank Massey of Sacred  
Heart School Is Adjudged  
the Winner

Frank Massey, of 71 Bowden street, a pupil of the Sacred Heart school, has been adjudged the winner of the United States army essay contest, recently held in all the public and parochial schools of the city under the auspices of the war department, and will be awarded the handsome silver loving cup which has been donated by Mayor Perry D. Thompson for the best local essay.

It will be remembered that the best essay from each school in the city was continued to page 5, second section.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CASE

Findings in Favor of Trustees  
of Publishing Society  
and of J. V. Dittmore

BOSTON, March 6.—Findings in favor of the trustees of the Christian Science Publishing society and of John V. Dittmore in their suits against the directors of the mother church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, are contained in the report of Frederic Dodge as master, which was filed here today in the office of the clerk of the supreme judicial court. The master holds that the directors had no legal right to remove Lamont Howlands of Piquette, Miss., from the board of trustees or Dittmore from the board of directors.

"The trust deed of 1893," the master continued to last page 1st section.

## SEND SPECIAL TRAIN FOR MILL HELP

The Boston & Maine sent a special train to North Chelmsford this noon to bring to the city the operatives in the several mills located there. Electric transportation does not venture beyond the car barns and the workers would have either had to walk almost three miles and suffer great exposure or remain stranded in the village. Some people did walk the distance from the town to the car barns in Middlesex street and one conductor reported in the square that 15 people on his car were suffering from frozen ears and faces as the result.

# Entire Country East of the Rocky Mountains in Grip of Blizzard

## STORM WARNINGS STILL DISPLAYED

Storm Centered Off Massachusetts Coast—Expected  
To Pass Out to Sea

Cold Wave Forecast For Tonight—Ships Driven Ashore—Worst Tieup of Winter

BOSTON, March 6.—The winter's latest storm swept into New England today, adding further burdens to convalescing railroads, tearing down wires and holding shipping in port or to emergency anchorages. In its early stages, the storm started a thaw of the tremendous snow and ice deposits, but all flood danger was quickly checked when the precipitation, turned from rain to snow, with increasing cold. The wind gained strength with the hours, and a velocity of 80 miles was reported from Blue Hill observatory before noon.

Locally the snow fall was light because the precipitation had been in the form of rain up to this morning. Enough rain fell here to correspond with a foot of snow. In northern and western New England, lower temperatures developed, snow earlier and new snow blazes of railroads and trolley services were reported with from 10 to 14 inches of snow, making conditions the worst of the winter. These conditions were reflected here, with four to six hours delays on trains arriving from New York and points north and west where the brunt of the storm was felt last night. The Boston & Maine railroad because of the conditions in Vermont, New Hampshire and western Massachusetts, suspended all freight service.

Shipping in Narragansett bay was held up and some of the long Island sound passenger steamers were forced to anchor to ride out the storm.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The storm which swept out of the northwest two days ago was passing slowly out to sea today. High winds continued along the Atlantic coast and severely cold weather prevailed over the entire country east of the Rocky Mountains. Continued to page 5—first section.

## IRISH BOND SUBSCRIBERS

The following subscriptions from residents of St. Margaret's district were recorded at the headquarters of the Irish bond campaign committee this afternoon.

Charles H. Hanson ..... \$50  
John A. Cotter family ..... 50

## STORES WILL CLOSE IF STORM CONTINUES

If the storm continues all afternoon and shows no sign of abatement at 5:30 o'clock, all dry goods and furnishing stores downtown will close their doors at 6 p. m. A survey was conducted by the chamber of commerce and the merchants agreed to the early closing time in view of the intensity of the blizzard and the resulting curtailment of all modes of travel.

## STORM COMES IN BLIZZARD FORM

Steam Railroad Schedules  
Shot to Pieces—Trolley  
Service Crippled

Cars Are Unable To Stand  
The Strain—Snow Plows  
Are Stalled

No Freight Moving on New  
Haven Lines—Pedestrians  
Have Hard Struggle

The storm which was reported to have passed out to sea struck Lowell in blizzard form early today, delivered a mortal blow to an already crippled street car service, threw steam railroad schedules into the discard and raged with such fierceness that visibility was reduced to a matter of a few feet.

Although forewarned that the storm was sweeping eastward from the Great Lakes, public utilities could not forearm themselves to any great extent because of the precarious condition of rolling stock as the result of almost incessant battling against ice and snow for the past eight weeks.

After a night of melting rain, snow began to fall just after daybreak and a wind sprang up that developed into gale proportions within an hour. Continued to page 3—second section.

## OWN A "DORT"—YOU'LL LIKE IT.

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## 60 MILE GALE HITS NEW YORK

Pelting Rain, Driving Sleet  
Storm and Biting Snow  
Squall Cause Damage

Cellars Flooded, Roads  
Washed Out—Chimneys  
Topped Over

NEW YORK, March 6.—The storm king paid another unwelcome visit to New York today, just as the city was commencing to recover from the effects of the \$5,000,000 blizzard of a month ago, and within 12 hours the metropolis struggled with a pelting rain, a driving sleet storm and a biting snow squall. As the temperature dropped steadily during the night, the wind increased in velocity until during the early morning hours it had reached an unofficial velocity of 60 miles an hour which boded ill for shipping off the coast.

The comparatively warm rain was at first welcomed by a much harassed street department as the fall, at the rate of an inch an hour, washed away some of the icy, muddy relics of February's blizzard. But the gut-Continued to page 3—second section.

## GEN. LEONARD WOOD DID NOT ARRIVE

Major General Leonard Wood, who seeks the republican nomination for president, was scheduled to spend three minutes in Lowell this forenoon en route to Manchester, N. H., but did not make train connections in Boston and cancelled his trip.

A handful of Wood adherents including Frank E. Dunbar and Gen. Gardner W. Pearson, pledged delegates, were at the Middlesex street depot to meet the 9:37 train, but when it pulled in 35 minutes late the candidate was not on board. The Pullman conductor said his train from New York was reported seven hours late at the South Terminal station. It is probable that Gen. Wood will not attempt to make Manchester today.

A meeting for the purpose of forming a Leonard Wood club in Lowell has been called for this evening at The Harrisonian, special invitations having been sent out to all Plattsburgh men to attend. The call for the meeting has been sent out by Arthur J. Brown, a Plattsburgh man in 1915 and 1916. He probably will be chosen chairman of the local organization at tonight's meeting. All persons interested in Gen. Wood's campaign are cordially invited to attend.

## OWN A "DORT"—YOU'LL LIKE IT.

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LOWELL vs. MAYNARD  
— IN —  
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## SCHEDULE OF INCREASES

Announced by Alderman  
Murphy For Laborers in  
His Department

Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy of the department of streets and highways today announced his schedule of increases for employees of his department, resulting from a petition presented some time ago for a flat wage of \$5 per day. The increases vary from 40 to 45 cents per day, but only in the case of foremen does the increase bring the rate to \$5 per day.

Laborers will receive \$4.50 per day under the new rate, as predicted yesterday. Sparrow men will receive \$4.20, an increase of 47 cents. Barn men and timber men will receive \$4.75 per day, an advance of 45 cents per day in the first instance and of 44 cents in the second.

The increases will cost the city a total of \$27,017 for the remaining ten months of the year. They will be retroactive to March 1. Commissioner Murphy presented the schedule of increases to Timothy Finnegan, president of the Municipal Employees' union, and Michael Regan, president of the City Teamsters' union, this morning. These organizations will meet tomorrow to accept or reject the advances.

Mr. Murphy says that the increases were fixed according to the Continued to last page, 1st section.

## RESTAURANT MAN FINED

William Americus Was  
Charged With Assaulting  
Patrolman Quinlan

William Americus, a local wrestler and night manager of the Plaza luncheon on Bridge street, who is alleged to have forcibly ejected Patrolman William H. Quinlan from the establishment shortly before 2 a. m. Feb. 7, was fined \$15 by Judge Enright in the municipal court today on a charge of assault and battery upon Mr. Quinlan. He appealed and was held in \$200.

When the case was first called some days ago, Patrolman Quinlan and other witnesses testified that Americus "threw him out" of the restaurant after accusing him of being a "bum" and having exasperated on the floor. The policeman said that he believed Americus had mistaken him for another Continued to page 2, first section.

## SERVICE AT THE TABERNACLE TONIGHT

Despite the storm and uncertain conditions of travel Evangelist Stephens plans to hold a service in the tabernacle in East Merrimack street tonight at 7:30 o'clock. A special musical program has been arranged and will be given whether the congregation numbers 20 or 2000.

Services tomorrow will be held at 3:30 and 6:30 p. m. with sermons at each by Dr. Stephens and chorus singing by the choir.

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A Place to Sit Down When Not Dancing and Hear Good Music  
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## THE JAIL AND THE COMMUNITY

Keeper Eveleth of Lowell  
Jail Gives Interesting  
Views on Subject

Changes in Methods of  
Handling Law-breakers in  
Past Decade

The probation system has done much more to depopulate jails and houses of correction than prohibition, in the opinion of Charles A. Eveleth, keeper of the Lowell jail in Thorndike street. Today the massive stone building opposite the South common is without a single prisoner. At one time there were as many as 147 men and women incarcerated there. Prohibition had had something to do with bringing about this change of condition. Mr. Eveleth admits, but he thinks that a greater share of the credit should be given the probation system, which has saved many a man and woman from confinement for some minor offense.

Mr. Eveleth points out that before the probation system had reached its present stage of development, many people who were arrested and brought into the local police court on charges of drunkenness or some other slight offense were fined \$2 and instead of being compelled to pay the fine, were given an opportunity of "working out" the sentence at the jail. With the present probation system, however, first offenders are usually given another chance and very often second or third Continued to page 2—second section.

## WIND PLAYS HAVOC WITH GLASS WINDOWS

The high wind accompanying the storm raised havoc with window glass and in some instances caused considerable loss. A plate glass window on the Prescott street side of the United Cigar store in The Sun building blew out with a terrific crash shortly after 12 o'clock and although the glass flew for some distance no one was cut. One of the large revolving glass doors of the Chaffinch company was blown from its hinges by the wind and toppled over carrying goods on a nearby counter along with it. A glass front to a door at The Colonial in Prescott street was blown out and one of the storm doors of the D. L. Page Co. was wrecked and the other damaged so much that it had to be reinforced with plates of tin.

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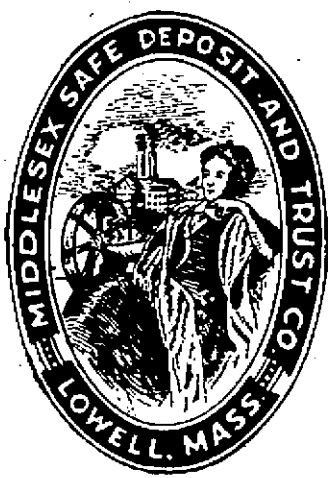
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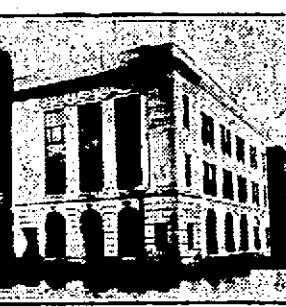
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# STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, March 6.—Trading in stocks today was very light, the storm delaying the opening of the session and causing serious interruption to communication. Initial reactions were due to heaviness of oils, but these were overcome when motors and their subsidiaries strengthened. Features of the day included General Motors, Stutz, and Keystone the at gains of 3 to 7 points. Metals, leathers and several obscure specialties also rose 1 to 4 points, but steel, equipment and railroads recorded only nominal changes. The closing was strong. Sales approximated 225,000 shares. Foreign exchange was generally under yesterday's final quotations.

**Cotton Market**  
NEW YORK, March 6.—Cotton futures opened steady, March, 35.20; May, 35.90; July, 36.07; October, 36.38; December, 36.55. Futures closed steady, March, 35.20; May, 35.90; July, 36.07; October, 36.38; December, 36.55. Spot steady; middling 40.30.

**Clearing House Banks**  
NEW YORK, March 6.—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold \$2,698,000 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of \$32,453,600 from last week.

**Liberty Bonds**  
NEW YORK, March 6.—Liberty bonds closing: 3 1/2's, 95.45; first 4's, 95.25; second 4's, 95.10; first 4 1/2's, 95.10; second 4 1/2's, 95.10; third 4 1/2's, 95.10; Victory 4's, 97.45.

**New York Clearings**  
NEW YORK, March 6.—Exchanges, \$114,052,107; balances, \$60,474,100.

**NEW YORK MARKET**

	High	Low	Close
Alb. Chal	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Am. Best Sug.	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Am. Can.	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Am. Car. & P.	132 1/2	131 1/2	131 1/2
Am. H. & L.	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
do pf.	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Am. Int.	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Am. Smelt.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Am. Wool	118 1/2	117 1/2	118 1/2
do pf.	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
Anaconda	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Atch.	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
do pf.	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Baldwin	112 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
B. & O.	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Bell Tel.	121 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2
Cent. Pac.	121 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2
Cent. Lea.	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
C. & G. W.	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Ch. & N. E.	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Chile	17 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Col. Fuel	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Corn Prod.	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Cro. Steel	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Cuba	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Don. & R. G. pf.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Edison	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Gen. Elec.	115 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2
Gen. Motors	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Int. Mer. Mar.	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
do pf.	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
Int. Paper	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Kew-Forest	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
K. City S.	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Lehigh Val.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Mex. Pet.	175 1/2	175 1/2	175 1/2
Midvale	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Mo. Pac.	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
N. Y. & N. H.	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
No. Pac.	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
O. G.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Penn. Amm.	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Pitt. Coal	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Pres. Steel	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
Ry. & St. Co.	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
S. E. Ry.	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
Sinclair Oil	41 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
St. Paul	36 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
St. P. & N. E.	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
So. Pac.	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
So. Ry.	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Stode.	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
U. S. Steel	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
U. S. Steel 3s	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
U. S. Steel 4s	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
U. S. Steel 5s	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
U. S. Steel 6s	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
U. S. Steel 7s	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
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U. S. Steel 100s	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2

# OUR AIRPLANES FAILURE

Liberty Motor Only Achievement of Merit of U.S. Air Service, Says Magee

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The nation's accomplishments and shortcomings in aviation during the war were debated in the house today for four hours, discussion centering around the divergent reports arising from the long investigation of the special house committee on aviation.

Representative Magee of New York, one of the two republican members of the committee, opened the debate with the declaration that the Liberty motor was "the only achievement of merit of the American air service in the United States."

Representative Lea of California, the democratic member of the committee, said the criticisms of the republican members were "absurd contentions and groundless conclusions," and that the reason the nation failed to accomplish more in aviation plainly was "inexperience and lack of preparation."

# LOWELL BOY WRITES FROM GERMANY

Although Lowell folks are forced to pay from \$50 up for a suit of clothes and \$9, \$10, \$12 and \$15 for shoes in these after-war times, over in far-away Germany one can still purchase the best suits at \$12 and \$15 and "kicks" for \$2, according to a letter received today by a member of the Sun staff from Arthur J. Denault, a Lowell boxer, better known in local circles as "Johnny Moran," who has for several years been a member of Uncle Sam's navy.

Not only clothing, but almost every other commodity is much cheaper in the "fatherland" than over here, Arthur states. There is plenty of work for everyone and the manufacturing plants, although short of raw materials, are having no difficulty in finding a market for their goods.

While Germans have apparently no hard feeling against the American people, the letter says that the people of the country still maintain their hatred for the English.

Denault served in the navy during the greater part of the world war and shortly after the cessation of hostilities, re-enlisted, this time in the merchant marine service. His letter, which was written at Hamburg, Germany, during the early part of February, is in part as follows:

Dear Friend:

I just 2 new lines to give you and my many Lowell friends a little news regarding myself. I left the Spaulding City last September, bent on sailing for my home, but I was told that I was to go to Norfolk, Va., from there to Christobal, Panama, next to Bluefields, Nicaragua, on to Costa Rica and then back again to Norfolk, Va. and I found myself in the hands of the Germans. I went to Goteborg, Sweden, and then to Hamburg, Germany, by way of the Kiel canal. I guess that is stepping out some, and I doubt if Joe Gans or Corbett used better footwork than I have during the past few months.

I had a splendid time in Goteborg during the 23 days I stayed there. But I found Goteborg a little too hot for me. I was surprised at the way in which the folks in Germany are working to readjust themselves to the changed conditions. Their attitude toward the war is that they had not too many to whip, and they are not too least bit repentant for their part of it.

The attitude towards Americans is more or less friendly, but they still hate England and the English.

Everything is quite cheap in Germany, except some of the foodstuffs, which are somewhat high in price. Clothing is cheaper than in any European or North American country. A suit of clothes which one can buy here for \$12 to \$15 can't be equalled in the United States under \$30. Good shoes can be bought here for \$3.

Work is plentiful and the manufacturing plants, although in need of raw materials, have no difficulty in getting a market for their products. I believe that the Germans can sell goods cheaper than any other country. Before I left I was going to write a little about the situation in Germany, but I was so busy that I couldn't. I was coming through the Kiel canal on the way to Hamburg. I was talking about the war to a German and said to him jokingly: "But, of course, you still have the canal left."

"Yes," he replied, "but if it was a commercial enterprise instead of a military one England would have wanted it. They certainly love the English."

Not Von Ruetter came back home to Hamburg a few days ago and he got a great welcome. I'd like to see Von Hindenburg and have him tell me how to keep at Memorial Hall. He is not very popular here and neither are any of the military.

Your friend,  
ARTHUR J. DENAULT.

# “DIAMOND QUEEN” COMMITS SUICIDE

NEW YORK, March 6.—Antoinette Bonnor, who acquired the international sobriquet of "The Diamond Queen" when she was brought back from Paris in 1914 with Joseph B. Kissinger, to face charges of large jewelry thefts in New York, ended her life dramatically yesterday by drinking poison as she was being placed under arrest in Kissinger's office here, charged with theft of diamonds valued at \$200.

"You'll never take me alive!" she cried as she snatched a poison pill from her handbag and swallowed the contents.

Kissinger also was arrested on a charge of acting in concert with the woman in the theft of diamonds from a New York concern and was held in \$1000 bail for examination on Thursday.

# 12 INCHES OF SNOW

MONTREAL, March 6.—More than 12 inches of snow had fallen here today and a 27-mile wind was blowing. The Vancouver train was 10 hours late at 11 a. m.

# ONE "FLU" CASE REPORTED

Only one case of influenza had been reported to the board of health up to noon today. One death from bronchopneumonia was also reported. There were eight cases of influenza yesterday but no deaths. There was a total of 53 cases for the week.



KING AND QUEEN IN STATE ROBES  
The above picture, taken shortly after the opening of parliament, shows the king and queen of England in their state robes. It was snapped in the robing room of the House of Lords.

# WOOD LOST IN SNOW SMALLER NEWSPAPERS

Failed To Reach Manchester  
—City Closed Up Tight by Storm

Publishers Must Cut Consumption — Advertisers Asked To Co-operate

MANCHESTER, N. H.—Four inches of snow on top of four inches of rain closed this city up tight by noon today.

Plans for the reception of Major General Leonard Wood, due here today to present French memorial certificates to the next of kin of service men who died in the service were abandoned when he failed to arrive.

The 5000 employees of the W. H. McEwain Co., shoe manufacturers, were home at 10.30 o'clock, and of the 15,000 workers at the Ameskeag cotton mills hundreds did not report.

Michael Alphus received a scalp wound when struck by a brick from a falling chimney.

# TRYING TO GET LODGE TO ACCEPT COMPROMISE

WASHINGTON, March 6.—While House officials in discussing today the move of administration senators to arrange a conference with President Wilson on the peace treaty situation, said the president had told Senator Glass of Virginia, two weeks ago what his attitude was toward a compromise on the Article 10 reservation.

It was said that there had been no decision as to whether the president would see the senators in response to the request of Senator Hitchcock, the administration leader. Those close to the president, however, pointed out that Senator Glass must have informed his colleagues as to Mr. Wilson's position, which was said to have been stated to the senator in unequivocal terms.

Some administration officers suggested that instead of Senator Simmons, democrat, North Carolina, and others endeavoring to persuade the president to accept the Article 10 compromise some democratic and republican senators are now trying to bend their efforts toward persuading Senator Lodge, the republican leader, to accept it.

# WILL HAVE MUCH MORE TO DIG NOW

Plans had been carefully arranged and most of the residents of the district had signed up for the dig-out which was to be conducted this afternoon on the "dead" stretch of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company's line from Stevens' corner in North Chelmsford to Tyngsboro, and the weather man interfered and now the diggers will have to wait until the weather is more favorable for work of this nature.

According to arrangements the workers, armed with picks and shovels, were to start work at North Chelmsford on the tracks, which have been idle for the past couple of months and were to meet the residents of Tyngsboro, who had arranged to start their work at the Tyngsboro end of the line, but all plans as far as today is concerned, have been frustrated by the snow and wind. According to residents of the two villages, the matter will not be dropped and it is probable that arrangements will be made for the dig-out next Saturday.

## MOTHERS

Reduce your doctor's bills by keeping always on hand—

## VICK'S VAPORUB

YOUR BODYGUARD

BROWN POKERBOOK containing sum of money lost Saturday noon between library and Kennedy's Butler store. Award at 162 Green Street.

# REPORT OF DEATHS

- For the Week Ending March 4, 1920
- Feb. 29. Annie P. Pinkham, 72, arterio-sclerosis.
  - 26. Mary A. DeForge, 23, influenza.
  - James E. Baxter, 34, lobar pneumonia.
  - 27. Frank M. Haley, 16, lobar pneumonia.
  - Alice Flynn, 76, cerebral hemorrhage.
  - Bridget Dignan, 69, arterio-sclerosis.
  - James Brooks, 1, broncho-pneumonia.
  - Elizabeth MacDougall, 52, chr. inter. nephritis.
  - Margaret Moffatt, 54, arterio-sclerosis.
  - Ellen Anglin, 33, broncho-pneumonia.
  - Mantaris, 1, h. prem. birth.
  - Louis Dopolis, 1, gastro-enteritis.
  - Jacques Gelinas, 10, m. lobar pneumonia.
  - Mailey, 1, h. prem. birth.
  - 28. Bridget O'Malley, 56, arterio-sclerosis.
  - Stavroula Montakoura, 4, tubercular meningitis.
  - Lucy P. Dana, 55, lobar pneumonia.
  - Helen T. Sullivan, 13, pulmonary tuberculosis.
  - Maria Calres, 1, broncho-pneumonia.
  - Wlad Cordeau, 51, cirrhosis of liver.
  - Sister Marie (Helene Perikny), 33, myocarditis.
  - William F. Duggan, 3m, convulsions.
  - William J. McGlynn, 25, lobar pneumonia.
  - 29. J. Emile Graham, 10m, broncho-pneumonia.
  - Marie J. L. Allen, 6h, prem. birth.
  - John H. Moore, 1m, adynamia.
  - Francis J. McGuinness, 19, acute indigestion.
  - John J. Nerney, 68, pul. cedema.
  - Mary Craghin, 50, arterio-sclerosis.
  - Alexis Ouellette, 55, lobar pneumonia.
  - William McDonald, 79, cardio vascular degeneration.
  - Francis E. Roper, 31, broncho-pneumonia.
  - John E. Richardson, 45, pul. tuberculosis.
  - Adella Berube, 49, lobar pneumonia.
  - March 1. Peter Chilcos, 8m, gripe-broncho-pneumonia meningitis.
  - William Sykes, 77, gastro-m. m.
  - Alice A. Morse, 51, broncho-pneumonia.
  - Mary A. Wright, 65, broncho-pneumonia.
  - Helen B. Wright, 5, broncho-pneumonia.
  - Lucy E. Wright, 59, chronic valvular disease.
  - Robert J. McKeown, 52, gastric ulcer.
  - Leo P. Lowmy, 34, prem. birth.
  - Percherre Beauregard, 50, broncho-pneumonia.
  - 2. Tekla Zwiercan, 29, lobar pneumonia.
  - Mary Anton, 1m, acute indigestion.
  - Ella Parent, 4, broncho-pneumonia.
  - Patricia Betty, 2, enteritis.
  - Justine Valender, 16, pyemia.
  - Agnes L. Green, 29, broncho-pneumonia.
  - 3. B. Piper, 33, myocardial degeneration.
  - 4. Mary O'Loughlin, 74, arterio-sclerosis.
  - Anna Mason, 31, lobar pneumonia.
  - William F. Wood, 69, myocarditis.
  - William Aubrey, 29, lobar pneumonia.
  - Francis Maher, 2, m. broncho-pneumonia.
  - Grace Blanchard, 25, pul. tuberculosis.
  - Alice Gill, 34, broncho-pneumonia.
  - Anna Hamelin, 39, broncho-pneumonia.
  - March 3. Isabelle Santos, 9, m. acute nephritis.
  - 4. Joseph V. Diniz, 6, tub. meningitis.
  - W. Margaret Muldoon, 55, acute ileus.
  - Adelard Rondeau, 1, lobar pneumonia.
  - Dorothy Peleguin, 1, m. acute bronchitis.
  - 5. Mary B. McCarthy, 55, arterio-sclerosis.
  - Maurice Keene, 61, cerebral hemorrhage.
  - STEPHEN FLYNN, City Clerk.

# \$100 FINES IMPOSED IN LIQUOR CASES

Joseph Silva and Peter Spanos, two Moody street storekeepers charged with the illegal sale and keeping of liquor, were arraigned on continuance before Judge Enright in the municipal court today and were fined \$100 each. They appealed.

It will be recalled that at the first hearing of the case



## Sporting News and Newsy Sports

## EXCITING POLO GAME INDOOR TRACK MEET

New Bedford Whalers De-  
feat Lowell, 6 to 4—  
Bob Hart Shines

Lowell High and M.T.I.  
Freshmen Will Meet in  
Battle Array Tonight

"Bob" Hart's New Bedford Whalers, who are now enjoying a new lease of life, pinned a defeat on Lowell at the Crescent rink last night by the score of 6 to 4.

The game was one of the most exciting of the season. Both teams worked at top speed throughout, and the fans were treated to about as good a game as has been seen here this season. Stiff blocking, hard driving, good passing and spectacular skating were much in evidence. A touch of the strenuous added zest to the contest.

The visiting team played fine polo. With little at goal, Dufresne at the stick, and Welch on the rush line, a marked improvement was noted soon after the game got underway. Welch, a rangy young fellow, with a good eye for the cage, teamed up well with Hart. He wasn't afraid to bump into the Lowell defense men, and while he still lacks the finish in taking passes, he has the makings of a coming star. He was working with such a capable man as Bob Hart.

Dufresne, always a good player, although at times unnecessarily rough, fits in well with the team, and his presence in the lineup had a big part in the victory. Gardner, one of the strongest obstructionists in the league, seldom showed the better advantage. He did well in the circle, while Hart out in front, was in real old time form, and gave a very high class exhibition.

Capit' Harkins and his crew played hard all the way, but they were outclassed and outplayed by the visitors. Harkins and Davies played a good passing game, but the Lowell defense pulled off some daring blocking, and were kept busy keeping Hart and Welch away from the counting station. For Hart hit them hard and often. The Lowell goalie, however, stood up well under the bombardment, and kicked out many shots tagged for curtains.

Griffith scored the first goal of the game. It came at 3:45 and was the result of a pass from Welch. Welch, one, and Hart followed with a brace. Just before the period ended Harkins poked one in for Lowell. The second period was fast and exciting all the way, but the Lowell defense, with its hard blocking and good obstruction by the backs, prevented a score being registered. Shortly after the third session opened, Davies hit the cage and the crowd roared its approval. Then Davies scored another and the hall rocked. But Bob Hart got his stick working again, and after sending one in at 11 seconds, followed with one from the spot in three seconds, giving the visitors the lead. Welch then came to the front with the final goal of the night. The lineup and score:

LOWELL			
Davies, R.	1	3:45	1
Griffith, C.	1	5:15	2
Dufresne, C.	1	6:45	3
Hart, B.	1	7:15	4
Pence, C.	1	8:45	5
NEW BEDFORD			
Welch, C.	1	4:15	1
Hart, B.	1	5:45	2
Dufresne, C.	1	6:15	3
Harkins, C.	1	7:45	4
Davies, R.	1	8:15	5
Summary: Score, Lowell 4, New Bedford 6. Rushes, Davies 3, Hart 7, Pence 5, Griffith 3, Fouts, Gardner, Dufresne. Referee, Knowlton.			

**TIGERS IN FIRST PLACE**  
FALL RIVER, March 6.—After gaining the lead in the polo pennant hunt, Providence relinquished its berth here last night. The Tigers giving the best game of the season, and also a knockout, 5 to 0, thus going into first place. It was a rattling good game with plenty of action by both teams.

**FALL RIVER**  
Fall River, March 6.—Fall River, 5 to 0, Providence, 0 to 0. Rushes: Pierce 3, Williams 3, Goals, Jean 1, Hart 3, Williams 3. Stungs: Purcell 5, Hufferth 3, Fouts 3, Lyons, Cusick. Referee, Carroll. Timer, Boyle.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING			
Team	Won	Lost	P.O.
Fall River	5	1	5.2
Providence	4	2	5.2
Lowell	4	2	5.6
Worcester	4	2	5.6
New Bedford	4	2	5.6
Brookline	4	2	5.6

**WHERE THEY PLAY TONIGHT**  
Lowell at Worcester.  
Fall River at New Bedford.  
Salom at Providence.

**PETE HERMAN HAS "FLU"**  
PHILADELPHIA, March 6.—Pete Herman, bantamweight champion, who was to have met K. O. Joe O'Donnell of Gloucester, N. J., here tonight, in a six round bout, was forced to cancel his engagement because of illness. He is suffering from influenza.

**BOXING**  
BOBBY JOSEPHS vs. CHICK HAYES  
Crescent A. A. Thursday Night

**Roller Skating**  
Tonight  
CRESCENT RINK

**School Track**  
LOWELL HIGH  
VS.  
M.T.I. FRESHMEN  
Annex, Sat., March 6, 7.30 p. m.  
Admission, 50c—Tax Free

**BASKETBALL**  
LOWELL VS. WATKINS  
AT  
ASSOCIATE HALL  
Monday Evening, March 8, 1920  
Reserved Seats for Sale at Drows', Shattuck and Merrimack Streets.

**OverAll Cigars**  
3 FOR 35c

Lowell high school meets M.T.I. Freshmen on the annex boards tonight in the last indoor track meet of the 1920 season. Tech is sending a formidable array of athletes and the games should develop good competition.

As a special attraction Warren Mansur and Brock Darling will stage an exhibition high jump contest. In the annual meet at the first of the year Mansur carried the present scholastic to new record figures and another mark may be placed on the books tonight.

Entries for the meet follow:  
30-yard dash, Lowell—Cahill, Saunders, O'Hare, O'Neil, McAdams, Darling, Goude, Bourgeois, McKay, M.T.I.—Webster, Bond, Nelson, Burner, Tappan and Holden.  
100-yard run, Lowell—Griffin, Woods, Willard, P. E. Mullane, Forrest, M. I. T.—Plasted, Brennan, Putnam and Bray.

Running high jump, Lowell—Darling, Saunders, McAdams and Littlefield, M.T.I.—Greenough, Hean, Dexter and Barrett.  
50-yard hurdles, Lowell—McAdams, Darling, O'Hare, Saunders, Cahill, M. I. T.—Barrett, Webster, Nelson, Bond, Tappan, Holden and Hierarchy.

500-yard run, Lowell—Hold, Pickles, Cahill, Woods, P. J. Mullane, M. I. T.—West, Deming, P. B. Holden, Smith and Snow.  
800-yard run, Lowell—McAdams, O'Hare, O'Neil, Cahill and Bourgeois, M. I. T.—Bruner, Deming, West, Webster, A. R. Holden.  
1 mile run, Lowell—Griffin, Forrest, Willard and P. J. Mullane, M. I. T.—Bolster, Hendrix, Johnsons and Putnam.

1200-yard relay, Lowell—O'Hare, McAdams, O'Neil, Saunders and Cahill, M.T.I.—Bruner, Deming, West, Webster, A. R. Holden.  
The officers of the meet will be as follows:  
Referee Mayor Perry D. Thompson; Judges, W. H. Meister, W. Pead, Arthur Woodles, W. P. Boland, Inspector H. H. Harris, J. D. McKinley, F. R. Woodruff, W. S. Hurlbut, J. H. Hurlbut, H. H. Hurlbut; clerk of course, Ernest H. Moller; timers and measurers, Earl Leadbetter, E. Brennan; scorer, Gerald Tonks; announcer, Paul McGregor.

**POLO NOTES**  
Al' Gandon has organized a polo team to represent Lowell in a series of games against the Essex company. The team will play on Tuesday night at the Old Course of Providence will come here for a game. The local team will include Buckley, Conlon, Gendron, and others. The team will wear uniforms as will all the visiting teams and the games will be of the regulation three periods.

New Bedford played fine polo here last night and a continuation of the work will put the club back in the lineup.

The New Bedford defense closed up like a jackknife, as soon as the club took the field. The Lowell defense, however, was unable to break through.

Paul Gardner and Duke Dufresne did some of the best work of the night. Gardner broke up many of Lowell's plays.

Umpire Knowlton made a mistake in letting a foul pass. A foul was called on Dufresne, and in protest he went over and pushed the referee. Knowlton did not back away, but was preparing to give the referee a receipt, when players intervened.

The league leader has changed three times during the week, with Fall River, or now occupying the honor position.

**ABOUT THE BOXERS**  
There is considerable interest in the feature bout scheduled for Monday night, the Kicker, between the Lowell Young Avila, of this city and Dusty Kroll of Portland, Me. Avila's victory over Kerry Brooks here about a month ago, brought him into prominence, and resulted in his manager, Solly Snyder, receiving several offers for his services.

Local fans are still talking about the great Diamond-Judy bout and all agree that it was one of the best between local boys staged here for some time. While Murphy won, he was clearly entitled to the verdict in his favor. Diamond put up a great battle and made many friends by his gameness and aggressiveness in the face of defeat. Diamond has been quite active in the local ring; lately, but it was Murphy's first appearance of the season. Fans, however, hope that both will be used frequently.

Barney Kearns, manager of Mickey Donovan of Brockton, sends word that his boy would like a bout with Paul Doyle.

Robby Josephs and Chick Hayes, who will meet here next Thursday night, to decide the featherweight championship of New England, are a high class team. They are not strangers to each other. On the contrary they have met many times. Both agree to twelve round number isn't of sufficient length to determine superiority. They both expressed the desire to go over a longer route, and plan to send word to their managers three extra rounds, if at the end of the 12th stanza, the referee feels that it is necessary to determine a winner.

Noah Perry, who refereed the Doyle-Nelson bout here the other night has been selected to handle the Kloby-Muggsy bout at Boston tonight.

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THE BOYS IN THE OTHER CAR BY GROVE

**CREAM OF THE MINORS**  
That's What Connie Mack Has Mobilized in the Hopes of Leaving Celar

BY FRED TURBIVILLE  
LAKE CHARLES, La., March 6.—They've kidded Connie Mack and called his team the "Chinese Champions" long enough. They said Connie's team would win the pennant if it played in China, for things are upside down there. But Connie means to turn things upside down in the American league some of these days, and he's personally picked most of them.

Mack has mobilized here the cream of the minor leagues of 1919. He personally picked most of them. The season of 1919, when the Mack men were hopelessly out of the running. From some leagues came one or two and from the southern came a whole club, but he kept only the very choice morsels in that deal. I refer to the Atlanta option. Connie bought late last summer.

Mack has exceptionally good-looking pitching and catching prospects. If one or two of the several promising pitchers come through, Mack believes the team will get out of last year's slump.

Among the new pitchers are George Gibson from Regina, Canadian league; David (Tim) Kelle, last year with Reading; William Harris, Houston, Texas league; Lyle Higbee, Seattle, Pacific coast; Bob Hasty, Atlanta; William Grevel, Philadelphia, semi-pro; Charles Eckert, Suffolk, Virginia league; Ed Rommel, Newark, International—all right-handers; and William Pierser, Suffolk, left hander, Binghamton, International.

Resides he has Scott Perry and Roland Naylor, veteran right-handers, and Walter Kinney, veteran southpaw. The last are called veterans but they've been up only a few seasons. Mack is proud of these prospects. He thinks they are good-looking.

But there are other youngsters behind the bat and in the infield and outfield. Cy Perkins is the veteran catcher. He'll do most of the receiving. Two other catchers, both young, come from "Cena." Styles, Glenn Myatt and John Walker. Styles came from Atlanta, Myatt from Houston with Harris, and Walker from Tulsa. Both young fellows, will try for first base. George Burns going to right field if he quits being a holdout. Griffin is from Atlanta and Burns was with Mack part of last season.

Dugan will get the keystone job if he behaves. Dykes, Atlanta boy, is a candidate. Galloway, another Atlanta boy, will try for short. He is the last word in fielding experts. Fred Thomas and Brazil are third-base lumber.

With Burns in the outfield probably will be Strick and Tilly Walker, though Welsh and Charles High are candidates. Whitley Witt is again slated for general utility work.

These will look pretty young, but Mack has developed corking young teams before and he believes he can repeat.

The minor league crowd on the other hand, has had a hard time. He believes he has the best boys there were to pick from last year's minor leagues.

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**UMPIRE KLEM TO INSTRUCT PITCHERS**  
NEW YORK, March 6.—Umpire William K. Klem of the National League, will start tonight on a swing around the senior league training camps for the purpose of instructing the pitchers in the new rules and regulations adopted at the recent meeting of the major leagues in Chicago.

Klem's trip is to be made at the order of President John A. Heydler of the National League. The itinerary will include the training camps at Miami, Jacksonville, Columbus, Birmingham, Hot Springs, Brownsville and San Antonio.

**LAWRENCE LEAGUE**  
The following scores were made in the Lawrence Mfg. Co. bowling league games this week:

WEB KNIT				
Desroisiers	105	107	89	311
Lozano	83	103	74	274
Goofrey	87	81	97	265
Guthrie	85	80	86	251
Vance	81	91	95	273
Totals	451	471	453	1375

BOARDING ROOM				
Lafontaine	81	80	78	239
Pineau	83	86	84	253
Bourne	84	107	95	286
Bollemere	87	94	79	260
Goefrey	87	95	102	284
Totals	421	492	441	1354

MECHANICAL DEPT.				
Loiselle	82	95	80	257
Desjardins	77	81	84	242
Travers	80	82	89	251
Dion	85	89	89	273
Cadorette	114	95	105	315
Totals	438	410	458	1306

SHORT FINISH				
Champagne	84	86	100	270
Travers	84	81	93	258
Feapler	82	90	97	269
Jacques	77	79	91	247
Carpentier	73	82	78	233
Totals	401	412	458	1271

SHIPPING DEPT.				
Lussier	101	77	81	259
Nielson	80	83	76	239
Lussier	86	82	81	249
Nault	90	97	105	292
Totals	357	339	343	1039

HOSE KNIT				
Swindells	75	81	81	237
Senior	80	104	82	266
Akerley	83	95	102	280
Hague	81	95	105	281
Totals	321	381	369	1071

**SPORTING BRIEFS**  
The wife of Heinie Groh, star Red third sacker, knows where the money grows and she wants Heinie to get some of it. Heinie has refused to sign except on his own terms. She even planned to go south with the Reds and have a royal good time has her wardrobe packed and everything, but she says she will pass it up if Moran doesn't come through.

I don't care if all the other players sign, and if Heinie can't do anything better next summer than work in the garden I think he should continue holding out for what he wants.

We both believe Heinie has been underpaid for several seasons. This is the year in which we can afford to be independent, and I am urging Heinie to continue his fight to get what he believes he is entitled to.

It is not a question of how much Heinie can make in some other business. We both know the Reds are willing to pay him more than he will make if he does not sign at the club's terms.

But we will be perfectly able to get through the year without any baseball income if the Reds don't meet

**O. U. BUSH**  
Meets a "Little Competition" BY PARKS

WELL—HERE I AM BUT I DON'T SEE PAT GLEASON AROUND! NO PLACE TO MEET ME!

**LOOKING FOR A SEAT WHILE THE TRAIN STALLS IN A TUNNEL**

In these days of high prices a few suggestions for economy could not hurt the big leagues who spend and spend in maintaining teams in the field six months in the year. Tom Eck, Coach Stagg's assistant at Chicago university, has some common sense ideas on how to lower hotel ratings and sleeping quarters that would all be conducive to the good of the athletes themselves.

I would suggest, first of all, that under each steel grandstand in the major league parks rooms be built to accommodate both the local and the visiting players. This would do away with the great expense entailed in putting up the players in first-class hotels, where the charges today are almost prohibitive and where the best the players get is away from the worst of whatever is going on in the city.

Then, if I would maintain in each park an accomplished chef, one who not only knew his business, but who would supply the players with the sort of food that would help in building up their physical structure, and who knew how and just when they should be fed.

So as to make the players feel at home and satisfied and to keep them from running out and staying out late at night, I would establish in each park adjacent to the sleeping and dining rooms a nice lounge room, a billiard room, a library, a writing room and a smoking room, so that the players would never lack for entertainment of their own making.

When Jack Dempsey finishes his moving picture contract at Los Angeles he is going to once more break the long stretch of "absence" from active ring workmanship. Naturally he wants the first tilt with Georges Carpentier.

My first battle in defense of my title probably will be against Georges Carpentier—if it can ever be definitely settled who holds the onlion on the Frenchman's services. After that I'll be ready to take on all comers—America—or anywhere else. And I'll take 'em on as fast as the public demands.

When I was battling my way to the top, I found that I could get a better fight whenever I made a difference to me whether it was every month or every two weeks—I was ready for a long fight. And when my moving picture contract has been completed, I'll battle just as often in defense of my title as it did to reach top ranking—if someone wants to promote the fight and offers a fair purse.

Fulton, Brennan, Misko and Meehan constitute the veteran quartet which public opinion has decided as my most formidable foe. They seem keen to fight me—and I'm anxious to take them on. They'll get their chance, and at as early a date as is possible.

**CONFERENCE ON RAILROAD WAGES**  
NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 6.—Clinton L. Barde, general manager of the N.Y. N.H. & H. R.R., who is chairman of a committee from the Railway Executive association to confer with representatives of the brotherhoods on wages and working hours, under the Cummins-Esch law, said today that a meeting of his committee would be held in Washington on Tuesday.

**IN MEMORIAM**  
NOONAN—There will be a regular high mass celebrated Tuesday morning at eight o'clock at St. Michael's church for Veronica Noonan.

There are more than 4,000,000 Irish-American citizens in this country.

**THE NEW ST. CHARLES RESTAURANT**  
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The kitchen of the New St. Charles is up-to-date in every respect and the place is equipped with a large built-in ice chest, coal and gas ranges, bakers oven, steam table, and in fact, all modern conveniences for speed and efficiency.

**BILL FOR CARRYPATHS AROUND DAMS**  
(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, March 6.—Owners of dams and similar obstructions on rivers will have to provide a carrypath around such obstacles if the canoeists and their friends are successful in passing a bill giving a hearing before the legislative committee on harbors and waterways, yesterday.

The bill provides that failure to furnish a path around the dam suitable for carrying a canoe or boat shall cost the owner of the property a fine of five dollars for each month the neglect continues.

Speaking in favor of the bill, Rep. Benjamin C. Lane of West Roxbury said the measure is desirable as a health measure. He pointed out to the committee that canoeing and boating are as healthful a recreation as there is and that the popularity of the diversion is growing larger each year. He said it is the duty of the state to do all in its power to further the opportunities already provided for sustaining and bettering the health of its people. Asked by Rep. Walter Haynes of the committee if he deemed the penalty of \$50 a year sufficient to make mill owners provide the path, he replied that he believed they would easily see the good points of the measure and comply with it. He recommended that the fight to enforce the statute be vested either in the city or town officials or the public works department.

John N. Cole, commissioner of the department of public works, said that while he was in thorough sympathy with the plan he could not see that it is at all possible at the present time. He said his department has jurisdiction only over the navigable rivers of the state, the Connecticut, Merrimack and Taunton. At the present, he said, he believed that companies furnishing water powers on these rivers are required to provide some means to transport boats of all kinds past such obstructions to navigation as they may construct. For confirmation of this, he called upon J. A. Hale, engineer for the Essex company of Lawrence. Mr. Hale stated that his company and the power supply company of Lowell are required by the terms of their charters to provide locks or other similar means for transporting boats across obstructions to navigation. Mr. Cole then went on to say that until jurisdiction over the non-navigable streams of the state is lodged in some authority such legislation can never be enforced. "But," he concluded, "we have no more right to demand of a man that he furnish a path around his dam than we have to tell him he must cut a hole through his fence."

**PATROLMAN BRINGS SUIT AGAINST CITY**  
Jerome P. Cullen, a member of the local police department, has brought suit against the city of Lowell to recover compensation alleged due him for 42 days' absence from duty caused by injury received in the performance of duty.

Patrolman Cullen was injured several years ago while trying the rear door of the plant of the Armour Co. in Thorndike street and submitted a petition to the municipal council asking for compensation for the time he lost while confined to his home. The point was brought out by Mayor Thompson that it had not been proven that it was an essential part of Mr. Cullen's duty to try the door if there was a possibility that he would expose himself to injury by so doing.

Eventually the council refused to grant the petition and today City Solicitor William D. Rogan was notified that suit had been filed.

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\$15.00 Mahogany Electric Portables with Japanese Silk Shades \$12.00  
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## SAFETY FIRST

There is much need for a campaign such as that which Supl. Welch of the police department has arranged to inaugurate for one week beginning April 1st. The primary purpose of the campaign is to prevent street accidents which in recent years have become very numerous.

There are certain types of accidents which are frequently repeated showing that in spite of the serious consequences, the general public is as careless as ever. One of these results from the habit of stepping from the sidewalk without looking first to the left and then to the right to ascertain whether the path is clear. Many people in this way have stepped out in front of automobiles just as if they wanted to be killed.

The rear end accident is another type from which several deaths have resulted within the past few years. Somebody waits for a car or a big truck to pass and then shoots across the street in front of some rapidly moving vehicle that was hidden from view, with the result that a serious accident occurs.

Of course many children are killed as a result of using the busy streets as a playground. While absorbed in their games they frequently run in front of electric cars and autos with the usual result of either being killed or maimed for life.

The habit of catching on to passing autos and other vehicles has of late become very common among the youngsters, with the result that many of them are injured in trying to get off while the vehicle is moving at high speed. Sometimes they are thrown off in front of other vehicles and are run over. In other cases they have to jump off when the vehicle is going at the rate of from twenty-five to forty miles an hour, thus taking the risk of being seriously injured.

There are various other classes of accidents in which full grown persons are injured quite as often as children. It is well known that a great many of the people who make a practice of walking on railroad tracks finally get struck by trains. It happens that while stepping from one track to avoid a train approaching in front, they are struck by one coming up behind. Owing to the noise of the train in front, they do not hear that which approaches behind and thus they lose their lives. There is scarcely a resident of Lowell who cannot recall fatal accidents of this kind.

What is needed for the promotion of safety and the prevention of accidents is the exercise of caution and common sense. The people who are injured in accidents are those who persist in taking dangerous chances and so long as they continue to do so, just so long will accidents be as numerous as they are today.

The Safety First movement has done a great deal to prevent accidents in factories by causing the operatives to be more careful, and there is no reason why similar results cannot be attained in regard to street accidents, provided something be done to drive the reckless chauffeurs and speed maniacs off the streets and byways.

## PRICES WILL BE LOWER

According to the opinion of experts, it appears probable that growing contraction of the domestic consumption and decline in exports due to the low rates of exchange in the allied nations will cause a steady decline in the prices of various commodities. Production is not kept up to the expected standard owing to a variety of causes. First of all, the hours of labor are shorter and secondly, many industries are crippled on account of transportation difficulties by which raw material is delayed in transit. There is scarcely an industry in the country that is not suffering from the latter cause with the result that not only is production retarded, but in some cases, many workmen are left in idleness.

The export of gold is another factor that will result in a reduction in prices. Recently, nearly forty million dollars in gold were exported to the Argentine republic to pay for commodities purchased there by England. It was a three-cornered transaction intended to overcome the disadvantage of our

high rate of discount on British money. Some British agency having credit in this country had the gold sent to South America to be used in purchasing raw materials which can be bought there at prices much lower than in the American market. This export of gold will help to deflate the currency or to reverse the process by which prices were originally advanced.

## IMPROVING THE MOVIES

While the subject of censorship of moving pictures is under discussion, it may be well to suggest an improvement in the pictures themselves that would add to their realism.

Nobody can deny the great value of moving pictures as a means of conveying instruction in a manner that would be practically impossible by any other means. There is no other way in which the movements of bodies, whether animated or otherwise, can be accurately represented so that the person who sees the moving film, say of an athletic exhibition, can get a very accurate idea of every movement of the athletes. There are features, however, which need to be improved as, for example, the elongation of the figures in the pictures out of all proportion to the reality. The lack of color offers another opportunity for improvement. If anything can be done to preserve the proper proportion in all the figures shown and to have the pictures show the colors also, the value of the movie exhibitions would be greatly enhanced. There is here an opportunity for those who are engaged in the production of pictures to take a step forward that would undoubtedly bring liberal rewards.

Moving picture exhibitions should be used to a greater extent for educational purposes, for which they are admirably adapted.

## THE BUILDING OUTLOOK

The F. W. Dodge building reports indicate that the constructional operations for the present year, despite the high cost of labor and material, will be about 40 per cent in excess of the best building record of the past. Only the limitation in supply can prevent the present large building program from being carried out. During the past year, the shortage of materials, the uncertainty of delivery on time and the insufficiency of labor, were the chief impediments to the completion of contracts on time. The big jobs that can use standardized materials will have less to fear from delays in delivery than the smaller that require special material and designs.

What all builders dread most, however, is interruption from labor troubles. With so many projects ahead and such great need of haste, it is to be hoped that arrangements will be made for a season of continuous work without the annoyance and delay caused by one craft striking today, another tomorrow or next day and so on, thus keeping the contractors in hot water all the time. That state of affairs causes loss not only to the contractors but to the men who strike. Better arrange in advance for the rate of wages so as not to hold up the great building program that looms big on the business horizon.

## WORTH WATCHING

From Manchester, England, comes a new proposal for solving the acute housing shortage there. Manchester needs 20,000 workers' homes at once, and 50,000 within a short time. Private enterprise there, as here, has failed to provide the houses.

The Bricklayers' union of Manchester has secured the co-operation of all the other unions engaged in house-building and has proposed to the Manchester council that the workers be given the contract to build 2000 houses as an experiment. They believe that, working under their own leaders, responsible legally and financially for the output, and with the "team work" engendered by the knowledge that the whole return on the project will go to the workers and not to any contractor, they can do more and better work than any private contractor. The Manchester council has accepted the offer and awaits formal approval from the British government.

If the experiment succeeds, the workers in the building trades in-

Justices propose to expand their committee into a National Guild, which shall build houses all over England.

## PLUNKETT'S WARNING

Sir Horace Plunkett on his return to Ireland told his British friends a few things relative to the absurdity of the home rule bill offered by Lloyd George and the hatred of England in this country due to her stupid and unjust treatment of Ireland. Sir Horace has caught the sentiment accurately; and when he tells England that the Irish trouble has injured her internationally, he states a self-evident fact. Yet British Tories think they are benefiting England by keeping Ireland oppressed. It would be well for England if she were rid of the Tory aristocracy just as Germany is now relieved from the rule of the Hohenzollern autocrats who accomplished her downfall.

We sometimes wonder if there is really any reason for the statement that theatre audiences vary in the warmth of their appreciation according to the city in which they live. Theatre folks even aver that audiences on different evenings during a week are absolutely unlike in their show of applause. What can there be in the atmosphere of a city which so affects its people as to make them appreciative here and only lukewarm there? Nationalities are sometimes characterized as demonstrative and the opposite, but we never knew such differentiation was applicable to cities situated even within the same state. To localize, vaudeville patrons in Lowell vary in their mood of applause. On one night, the audience is enthusiastic, while on another, it is half-heartedly appreciative, and these same nights may be found, in each week and are so designated as "good" and "bad" evenings.

Congress undoubtedly some day will pass some sort of a bonus or appreciation bill, further compensating former service men for their war efforts. In the meantime, a seemingly endless chain of ideas is being considered link by link. Now comes Marvin Gates Speery advocating a flat payment of \$500 to each man and in the same breath decries monthly payments ranging from \$30 to \$50 for each month in service, and says young Americans never could be paid enough for their sacrifice by "the skimping, miserly additional compensation bills pending before congress." Men who have 18, 20, 22 and 24 months of service to their credit will not view the \$50-a-month plan as "skimping."

It will be time enough for republicans to blame President Wilson for defeat of the treaty and postponement of peace with Germany, when he has failed to approve the treaty in the form in which the senate may see fit to ratify it. Thus far, the senate has failed to ratify the treaty with or without reservations and for this President Wilson cannot be blamed. The responsibility rests on the senate so long as it fails to ratify the treaty in any form. This is a case in which the old game of "passing the buck" will fail to work.

If the charge made against the vice squad of the New York police department be true, conditions in that city must be deplorable. It is not the first time, however, in which New York detectives were found to be the protectors, patrons and beneficiaries of vice.

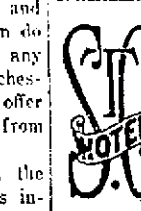
All Christendom should unite in favor of driving the Turk out of Europe and so restricting his power in Asia that he will never again be free to massacre defenseless peoples wherever he pleases.

New York proposes to add \$25,000,000 to the pay of its teachers. The amount may dwindle very perceptibly before the measure reaches the enacting stage.

Lowell schools have been hit hard by the hand of death of late. This, in addition to other causes, chiefly voluntary resignations, has left a number of vacancies to be filled.

Sammarco, the murderer of Policeman Clancy, gets off easy with a life sentence. Most people will believe that he richly deserved the death penalty.

## RESORTS—ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.



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## SEEN AND HEARD

The proposed international farm conference may decide in favor of more plowing and less conferring.

There is a school for women voters in Chicago. Huh! A man doesn't have to know any thing to vote.

A. Damm is a candidate for treasurer at Cleveland, Ohio, and he says he doesn't care the sound of his name whether he gets it or not.

The former Kaiser has given a hospital to a Dutch town. If the man can't keep 'em full he will give 'em away.

Criminal Lawyer Slick never makes his advance fee for defending a client larger than the amount the defendant is accused of stealing.

There are many who approve of the suggestion to deport Old Man Winter to Russia, or to any other place far, far away.

Editor: Please don't pin a medal on the profiteer or the street car conductor, who starts up the car before I get my feet firmly on terra firma.—Reader, Nequest granted.

It's a mighty good thing for the weatherman that he doesn't have to get a majority of votes to stay in office. Or, maybe if he did, there'd be a more strenuous effort made to produce good weather?

The surest method of keeping the world healthy, observes Dr. Pillsbury, would be to meter the fresh air and make it so expensive that everybody'd kick like blazes if they couldn't get it all the time.

**Easiest Thing Ever**  
"I wish I knew how to make a barrel of money," sighed the Little Man.  
"That's easy," replied the Big Man. "Spend a half-barrel of money in advertising and you'll soon have a barrel of money."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

**Very Good Logic**  
If you don't get your paper it is not our fault; we tried our best to get you to pay up, and we just can't do any more than that—you wouldn't for a minute submit to our going into your pockets and taking out the price of the subscription, now would you?—Royston, Ga., Record.

**A Sin of Omission**  
"When I enlisted," explained the doughboy with an injured air, "I read the posters that said, 'Join the army and see this world.'"  
"Yes," said the recruiting officer.  
"But after I was in," the soldier continued, "I found that two words had been omitted on the poster."  
"And what were they?"  
"On foot."—Home Sector.

**The Brute**  
The other day a woman entered the office of — and asked him to be her lawyer in a divorce case. She said she had been married only a day.  
"Married only a day, and you want a divorce?" gasped —, incredulously.  
"Yes," insisted the woman, and explained:  
"When my husband came home from the office I was trying. He asked me why, and I said:  
"O John, I baked a lovely cake and put it out on the porch for the frosting to dry, and the dog ate it."  
"And John said: 'Don't cry, dear. I know a man who will give us another dog.'"  
—London Opinion.

**Panama By Barge**  
The rubberneck automobiles that ply up and down the streets of so many American cities have a monster relative in the great barge that carries sight-seeing visitors through the Panama canal. The vessel was originally a steel dump barge, built for the canal excavators in 1913. It is 154 feet long, 33 feet wide and draws between 10 and 11 feet of water. Sloping seats like those in a grandstand have been built, and then covered with a roof on which other passengers may sit or stand.

## Pneumonia Left Boy Weak and Sickly

Parents Were Almost Hopeless, But He Is Now Well and Strong.

"Our little boy's health was so poor we were afraid we were going to lose him. He is 10 years old, and has had weak lungs ever since he was eight months old, caused by pneumonia. We have been very careful with him and doctored him continually, but we had almost despaired of ever having a strong, well boy.

"But since giving him Mils Emulsion, all his trouble is gone, and he is in perfect health."—Mrs. G. W. Smiley, 20 Maple St., Dayton, O.  
For restoring appetite, health and strength in sickly children, mothers will find Mils Emulsion the thing they have always sought. Most children like to take it, because unlike many emulsions and tonics, it really tastes good.

Mils Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritive food and a corrective medicine. It restores healthy, natural bowel action, doing away with all need of pills and physic. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food. As a builder of flesh and strength, Mils Emulsion is strongly recommended to those whose sickness has weakened, and is a powerful aid in resisting and repairing the effects of wasting disease. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are promptly relieved—usually in one day. This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream.

No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Mils Emulsion under this guarantee—Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 60c and \$1.50 per bottle. The Mils Emulsion Co., Terre Haute, Ind. Sold by druggists everywhere. Sold and guaranteed by Fred Howard, 127 Central St.—Adv.

## WEAK KIDNEYS MADE STRONG



MOSES MURPHY

Moretown, Vermont, March 27th 1918.

"I am warranted in having the strongest faith in 'Fruit-a-tives' after receiving such wonderful benefits from them. For years, I was a sufferer with Kidney and Liver Complaints. My back ached; my liver was sluggish; and my whole system seemed out of order.

"Fruit-a-tives" was the only remedy to help me. They strengthened the kidneys, made my bowels move regularly and freed me of all the distress caused from the kidney trouble, constipation and indigestion. A few weeks' treatment with 'Fruit-a-tives' made me feel as if I had a new lease on life, and I am glad to make known the great value of these Fruit Liver Tablets."

MOSES MURPHY.  
Box a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c.  
At dealers or from FRUIT-A-TIVES Limited, OGDENSBURG, N. Y.

The barge carries two or three hundred persons, and it is handled by a tug lashed alongside.—Sun and New York Herald.

**Pointed Paragraphs**  
Hands that grasp too much hold but little.

A successful fool always has plenty of fool admirers.

The elevator may be lowered, but the boy who runs it is hired.

Some men are born klackers and some fall victims to dyspepsia.

A pawnbroker who is always advancing is naturally progressive.

A woman will pardon want of sense quicker than she will want of manners.

Some men enjoy chronic laziness as much as others enjoy a well earned rest.

An Ohio poet devotes an hour daily to writing poetry and the rest of the day to sawing wood for a living.

Highwaymen ask too much when they command their victims to throw up their hands and throw down their arms.—Chicago News.

## "The Postoffice Box"

(Copyright, 1920, N.E.A.)  
Half an hour from his kitchen, half hid from our pump,  
In a circle of scrub was a veteran stump.

It was old, it was hollow, a perfect dead-end.

For a lover of ten and a sweetheart of nine.

For although we met daily at school and at play,  
Our embarrassing tongues had but little to say.

But we unpacked our hearts of their tenderest stocks  
As we emptied them into our postoffice box.

"The rose is red, the rose is yellow;  
And you're my girl cause I'm your fellow."

And whenever my hand felt a violet  
Which told what my tongue had no courage to quote,  
I would signal at once (to avoid any scandal)  
By hanging my hat on the pump's postoffice handle.

And when she had answered, she made the fact clear  
By a back-window flash of an eloquent mirror.

For love leaps all barriers, laughs at all locks  
And heaves flows to heart through a postoffice box.

"If you love me as I love you,  
No knife shall cut our love in two."

O still I can thrill with that perfumed delight  
When her little pink paper broke onto my sight.

But more I remember the jolt of despair  
When my rummaging hand found no treasure there.

Whether traitor discovered, or treason befell  
I was too proud to ask, she was too shy to tell.

Ah, how empty is life when an emptiness mocks  
A hungering heart at the postoffice box!

"Marble is cold and granite's hard;  
A false heart reaps its own reward."

I saw her today, with her triplicate chin;  
And her waist sloping out where it ought to be thin.

And I'm sure that she thought, as she eyed me askance  
"Could ever that creature inspire a romance?"

O, the old stump is vanished and gone  
To decay in my socks.

But the hollowness of it is hollow today.  
And its might-have-been sinks my heart into my socks.

As I look at my love of our postoffice box.

"Romance is dead, since heaven has willed  
To show my early love full-filled."

—EDMUND VANCE COOKE.

## WHY?

Many have equated as to why Dows' Menstrual Cream cures cold in the head so quickly. Simply because it takes the shortest cut—goes the way the cold flows—direct to the seat of the disease.

That's Nature's way and Nature's way is Dows' way. Rose cold, catarrhal and all nasal affections relieved at once and cured promptly.

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1000 Men's Shirts that sold for \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00, for

# \$1.85

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Spring style Soft-Hats, in the most wanted colors, in shades of browns, greens, olives and light colors, while they last we offer them for ..... \$2.00

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## WOULD SELL FLOUR TO BARS DRAFTED MAN FROM PAY BENEFITS

### EUROPEAN CREDIT

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Five million barrels of federal grain corporation soft wheat flour will be sold on credit in Europe soon unless congress authorizes \$50,000,000 loans to finance the sales. Julius Barnes, head of the corporation told the house rules committee yesterday. He said he now had authority to make the sales on credit but hoped the loans would be authorized.

The flour, now held at American ports and for which the corporation asked \$10.75 a barrel, is "the cheapest in the world," Mr. Barnes told the committee. He added that "every effort had been exhausted to sell it for cash" but that American housewives would pay higher prices for the hard wheat flour.

"Why are prices of flour going up?" asked Representative Fess, republican, Ohio.

"The last year crop yield was a peculiar one," answered Mr. Barnes.

"There was a small yield of the soft wheat and a big yield of the soft wheat. Flour made of the soft wheat could be obtained for domestic use at all times at the exact reflection of the government guaranteed price of wheat.

"The pressure for a different kind of flour by the housewives led the millers to bid up the prices and in North Dakota in five months the hard wheat price was increased 60 cents a bushel above the guaranteed."

Charges of the Spokane, Wash., grand jury alleging wheat price manipulation by grain corporation agents were mentioned. Mr. Barnes said he had asked the department of justice to make a thorough investigation. The grand jury report was a statement on economic conditions in the Pacific northwest. Mr. Barnes said, and recommended that "the president use powers that do not exist." He added that the corporation had not bought wheat or flour at more than the guaranteed price.

Max H. Houser, vice president of the corporation and in charge of its work in the Pacific northwest, named in the Spokane report as interested financially in several grain companies, was declared by Mr. Barnes to be "an honest man." Houser, he said, has dissociated himself voluntarily from the companies in which he was interested, as far as possible, but "could not withdraw his capital investment from the companies." Being thus unable to withdraw completely from these companies, Mr. Barnes said Houser kept out of their conduct and gave all earnings about 6 per cent, on his investment to charity. This was a fine exhibition, Mr. Barnes declared.

Germany, which before the war, was second only to England as a purchaser of Argentine products, is beginning to resume her trade with Argentina.

## child's nerves

During childhood years the nerves are delicate and easily disturbed. Sleeplessness, restlessness, and other nervous attacks often indicate worms. Worms are a common disorder with children and weaken the nervous system if not attended to promptly.

Keep a bottle of "L.F." Atwood's Medicine ready at all times. A good dose taken at the first sign of any such trouble, will quickly establish a normal, healthy state, improve the digestion, and purify the blood. General health will be improved and many serious attacks warded off by small doses, taken regularly.

You are taking no risk in using this well-known household remedy, which has helped the digestion and health of both children and adults for over 60 years. You probably have many neighbors who have relied on it all their lives. A large bottle, containing 60 doses for 50c. Get one today from your dealer, "L.F." Medicine Co., Portland, Maine.

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Do You Gasp For Breath?



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### TROLLEY ROUTE CLOSED BY LAND SLIDE

About 100 feet of the reinforced embankment on the Christian Hill slope in First street, gave away last night, letting a mass of mud and slush spread over the car tracks to a depth of two feet and entirely closing the Lowell-Lawrence trolley route. The slip occurred at the end of the granite wall this side of Lowell street. The part of the embankment to give way has been held up by a revetment of railroad ties for many years, but has given trouble on other occasions. The gravel and mud which now covers and blocks the tracks cannot be pushed aside by a plow and will have to be cut away by a team of horses drawing a scow shovel.

### Sure Relief



**BELL-ANS**  
FOR INDIGESTION  
6 BELL-ANS  
Hot water  
Sure Relief

### DEATHS

**HOWE**—Margaret Howe, aged 50 years, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 203 South street, after a brief illness. Mrs. Howe was a resident of Lowell for the past 61 years. She leaves one sister, Mrs. Ann Connor, and several nieces and nephews.

**THOMSON**—James S. Thomson, formerly of this city, died March 4 in Hartford, Conn., after a long illness. He is survived by his wife, his mother, two daughters, Vera R. and Mrs. Frank Hunter; also by three brothers, John, William, and Robert W. Thomson. Before going to Hartford to assume a responsible position in a knitting mill, Mr. Thomson was connected for many years with the Lawrence Mfg. Co. here.

**CROCKETT**—Sarah L. Crockett, widow of Alexander F. Crockett, died today, March 6, at 91 Maple street, aged 81 years, 2 months and 25 days. She leaves one son, Elmer L. Crockett, one daughter, Mrs. Laura E. Martyn, and 13 grandchildren.

**WILLIAMS**—Mrs. Mary Williams died this morning at the Chelmsford Street home of her daughter, Mrs. Catherine Williams. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertakers H. H. McDonough Sons. Funeral notice later.

**DEACUNESSE**—George Henri, aged 5 years and 8 months, infant son of Joseph and Dorinda Deacunesse, died today at the home of his parents, 418 Riverside street.

**McLAUGHLIN**—Alexander, aged 2 days, infant son of Alexander and Odille McLaughlins, died last night at the home of his parents, 76 Ennell street. Burial took place at 2 o'clock at St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Amelie Archambault & Sons.

**McLAUGHLIN**—Miss Elizabeth McLaughlins died yesterday afternoon at the home of her brother, Frank McLaughlins, 171 High street. The body was removed to the home of her niece, Mrs. Frank McLaughlins, 161 Concord street, under the direction of Undertakers H. H. McDonough Sons. Deceased leaves a brother, Frank A. McLaughlins; a sister, Mrs. Fannie Marshall; and several nieces.

**BUGLER**—Frederick Jack Bugler died this morning at the home of his parents, 13 Adams street, at the age of 2 years. He is survived by his parents and by five sisters.

### Funerals

**PIPER**—The funeral services of Mrs. Christie B. Piper were held yesterday afternoon at her home, 55 Norcross street, and were largely attended. Rev. J. E. Kennedy, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiated. There was appropriate singing by Mrs. Piper's daughter, Mrs. Charles C. Piper, and Rev. J. E. Kennedy. The bearers were Messrs. H. Russell and William J. Weil. The body was placed in the casket by Rev. J. E. Kennedy. The casket was borne by the following bearers: Messrs. Timothy Danahy, William J. Weil, Patrick Finnerty, Harry Lyons, Thomas Baxter, and Joseph McVey. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the funeral services were read by Rev. Mr. Craig and Rev. Mr. Kennedy. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

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53 CENTRAL STREET

### ARCHITECT DISCUSSES LEAGUE OR THE BIGGEST NAVY

#### Housing Problem

Housing problems as developed by the very poor being crowded out by the well-to-do people who can control their environment, were discussed yesterday afternoon by Miss Eleanor Manning, a Boston architect, at the Rogers Hall School. "We speak of the housing problem in connection with the poor as though they were the only ones involved," said Miss Manning. "What is needed is some legal constructive policies which will enforce proper building. There are enough regulations restricting the erection of houses. Constructive legislation would require proper lighting, ventilation and space for the rearing of healthy children." Miss Manning spoke of one house in the North End of Boston which looked all right from the outside, having plenty of windows although some of them opened out to an alley, but the house sheltered 67 families.

"A man should own his home and not rely upon industrial employers to build it for him. If he does rely upon an employer he is tied down to one job and possibly to unsatisfactory conditions also. Although there are some concerns who are able to manage the housing problem in a satisfactory way, that is not generally the case.

"A new development is coming to the front which purports to rid a community of slums by alteration of existing conditions. In Boston a plan to construct a good, wide street from the North to the South station would rid the city of every dark room in that section, but as the cost is estimated at two million dollars, the taxpayers cannot see it. They have not enough community spirit.

"We must have building zones. The residential streets should not be free to the building of apartment houses and large business blocks. The apartment house has originated from a castle, but they are not built right. The plan of grouping dwellings is very much better," concluded Miss Manning.

### SUN. BREVITIES

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Luther Faulkner, commander of the local American Legion Post, will be delayed one or two days longer in the south because of the illness of his wife there. Mrs. Faulkner became ill a short time ago and Commander Faulkner went down south to visit her.

Funeral processions in the city today were greatly hampered by the storm and the usual services and prayers at the graves were abandoned in almost every instance. No attempt was made to enter the cemeteries, processions stopping at the gate and allowing a wagon to carry the casket to the burial lot.

Twenty-one applicants for positions in the field service of the United States post office department took an examination in the aldermanic chamber at city hall today under the auspices of Albert Sparks of the civil service commission. The examination began at 9 and lasted until 2 p. m.

Today's storm prohibited the ash collectors of the health department from making their customary visit to Belvidere and Agent Francis J. O'Hare said this noon that the collections in that section would be made tomorrow.

The many friends of Miss Grace Flanagan of Willow street will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from her recent illness.

City Solicitor William D. Regan has received from Albert P. Langtry, secretary of the commonwealth, a copy of the text of the law recently signed by Governor Coolidge authorizing this city to borrow \$600,000 additional beyond the debt limit for the new high school. The bill is worded practically as when first submitted to the legislature.

### BILL BACKS UP VOLSTEAD ACT

PROVIDENCE, March 5.—An act to enforce the 15th amendment to the constitution of the United States, containing all of the features of regulation and the penalties of the Volstead act, was introduced in the house yesterday afternoon by Representative Everett T. Mathewson of Hopkinton, and sent to the special legislative committee.

The measure, which is of unusual length, is practically identical with the Volstead act with two exceptions. One makes the attorney general the prosecuting officer and the other gives the fines to the state treasurer instead of the federal government.

In substance, the act prohibits the sales for beverage purposes of any and all liquors and liquids of any description containing one-half of one per cent or more of alcohol.

### LEAGUE OR THE BIGGEST NAVY

#### Daniels Favors Greatest World Navy If Senate Refuses To Ratify Treaty

Tells House Naval Committee There Must Be No "Middle Ground"

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Secretary Daniels told the house naval committee today he would recommend a naval building program for the next fiscal year larger than that proposed by the general board "if the peace treaty is not ratified at this session of congress." Withholding final recommendation, however, the secretary added that if this country in the end rejected membership in the league of nations, he would feel impelled to renew his recommendation for another three-year program of construction.

Reiterating his statement of last year that "we must have a League of Nations by which every nation will help preserve the peace of the world without competitive naval building or we must have incomparably the biggest navy in the world," Mr. Daniels declared there was no "middle ground."

"I had hoped to appear before this committee today," the secretary continued, "with a final recommendation as to a building program, but as the senate has not yet acted upon the peace treaty, there are uncertainties in the situation. If the covenant had been ratified our duty would have been plain with the league in operation, composed of first of all the nations allied or associated in the world war and with provision for admittance of all other nations opposed to conquest and militarism. It would not be necessary to impose on the taxpayers of America the assessments necessary for building more capital ships."

The program which the secretary recommended be authorized in event the treaty is not ratified, agreed with the general board's proposal as to capital ships—two battleships and one battle cruiser—but added to that proposal twenty light cruisers and 11 flotilla leaders, or super-destroyers. No light cruisers and only six super-destroyers were recommended by the board.

It had been his intention if the peace treaty were ratified "with the possibility of armaments being curtailed and regulated" the secretary declared, to recommend definitely only such a "moderate" building program necessary to "round out the fleet."

No capital ships would have been included in this program he added, but in the "unsettled condition of the world today," he declared, the American navy "must be prepared for any emergency."

"The question for you to decide," the secretary told the committee, "is whether the United States in future building shall undertake simply to round out its navy by building units of types in which we are now short or shall embark on further expansion in addition."

Secretary Daniels emphasized the fleet's deficiency in light cruisers and other secondary craft as demonstrated by war lessons. The present battleship strength, he pointed out, would soon be increased by the 10 dreadnaughts now building, "more powerful than any battleships afloat." In addition to the six battle cruisers under construction, necessitating more auxiliary craft.

Destroyers and other anti-submarine craft construction during the war, Mr. Daniels said, had taxed facilities and prevented balanced additions to the fleet, while Great Britain had been able to carry out a well balanced program. He pointed out that the British navy had increased its light cruisers to 76 against which the American navy has only three, all of doubtful value.

In addition to capital ships the secretary's contingent program included six scout cruisers, eight mine laying cruisers, six fleet submarines, four air-plane carriers and other auxiliary craft.

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### MEETING OF COMMUNITY COUNCIL

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS OF  
**LOWELL COMMUNITY SERVICE, Inc.**  
AT 175 DUTTON STREET  
Monday, March 8th Supper Served at 6.30 P. M.  
—SPEAKER—  
John J. Mahoney, State Supervisor of Americanization  
—SUBJECT—  
"AMERICANIZATION"  
Other Important Subjects to Be Discussed Are the Payment to Be Held in the Spring  
THE IMMEDIATE COMMUNITY CAMPAIGN FOR LOWELL'S COMMUNITY SERVICE

### MEMORIAL COMMITTEE MEETING TUESDAY

The Pawtucketville memorial committee will meet next Tuesday evening at the Pawtucket Congregational church at 8 o'clock to make arrangements for a number of events to be conducted after Lent in aid of the memorial fund. Members of the Gloucester club of the local council of the Knights of Columbus have offered to repeat their annual minstrel show for the benefit of the fund in Association hall on April 15 and details of this affair will be arranged at Tuesday's meeting.

A committee from the Pawtucketville Social club, Joseph A. Payette, chairman, will be present to present plans for a whist party and dance to be run by that organization for the benefit of the memorial fund in the near future. Definite arrangements will also be made for the carnival to be held during the week of May 17.

### LOWELL MEN MADE DIFFICULT AUTO TRIP

"The roads were rough and we had some narrow escapes, but we finally arrived at Providence, R. I., without any serious accident," said one of a party who came over the road from Lowell, Mich., in automobiles under the direction of Stephen Rochette of the Lowell Motor Mart.

Mr. Rochette and eight other Lowell men left Feb. 24 for Detroit for the purpose of driving nine Dodge cars over the road to this city because the railroad was unable to transport the cars. The party consisted of the following: Mr. Rochette, Arthur G. Leveille, J. Omer Allard, Edward Burns, Joseph Quinn, Joseph McCann, Sam Sands and William Dineen. They arrived at Detroit the following morning and on the afternoon of the same day they started over the road on their homeward trip, arriving in Providence Thursday afternoon. They attempted to continue their trip to Lowell, but they were handicapped by the depth of snow and were forced to leave their machines in Providence and come to Lowell by train, arriving here at midnight Thursday.

While the party was on its homeward trip the mother of J. Omer Allard, Mrs. Edouard Vallierand, passed away and all efforts on the part of local relatives to locate Mr. Allard on the road were fruitless, and the latter did not learn of his mother's death until he reached Lowell the night before the date set for the funeral.

One of the members of the party stated this morning that the trip was one of endurance in which several narrow escapes took place. He said when the party left Detroit a week ago last Thursday afternoon there was a little snow and ice, but the roads were in fairly good condition. "All went well," he said, "until we reached the mountains in New York, where we had considerable trouble, owing to the slippery condition of the roads. We passed a point in the mountains, where two days previous a machine containing two men skidded and went over a cliff. Both men were killed and the car was destroyed. We had been informed of the dangerous condition of the road and it was on our nerves, so to speak, that we passed the danger spot. One of our machines skidded to about 18 inches from the edge of the cliff and it was only through very careful driving and some luck that the driver succeeded in getting by."

"From that point we were forced to drive in ruts of ice and it was with considerable difficulty that we managed to get over the road. Our cars kept close to each other and in many instances when we met other machines we were forced to help the strangers out of the ruts in order to let us by. At Jenertown, Penn., we were stalled in the snow and were forced to lay off a half day and wait until the municipal plows had opened the road for us. We arrived at Scrabble, Conn., after considerable hardship and from there to Providence we found the roads bad, but passable. We arrived at Providence last Thursday afternoon and attempted to continue, but the roads were impassable here, but the roads were impassable and we had to store the machines and finish the trip to this city by train. A member of the party lost his way in the state of New York and we lost track of him. We did not hear from him until we reached Providence, whence we were informed that he had arrived safely at Springfield, but was unable to continue his course to Lowell on account of the condition of the roads. He stored his machine in Springfield and came to Lowell by train."

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### WEAKENED VICTIMS OF EPIDEMIC NEED Pure Food Tonic Like Father John's Medicine to Rebuild Wasted Tissue

Thousands of victims of the recent grip epidemic find the struggle to regain strength very hard because the grip seems to have left them in a weakened, run-down condition which hangs on. At such a time the weakened system falls an easy victim to any disease germs.

During this period of weakness Father John's Medicine proves its value as a pure food tissue builder. It is composed of pure and wholesome, nourishing elements which are easily taken up by the weakened system and promptly made into new flesh and strength. Because it is guaranteed free from alcohol or dangerous drugs in any form Father John's Medicine is a safe tonic to take after the grip or a heavy cold.

The racking, irritating cough which often follows the grip is another dangerous feature which Father John's Medicine promptly relieves, because the soothing, healing elements in this old-fashioned, family medicine allay the irritation and help to heal the throat and breathing passages. The gentle laxative effect of Father John's Medicine drives out impurities and restores normal health. Keep a bottle in the house right along.—Adv.

### Schedule of Increases

Continued

available funds of the department, as decided by the municipal council when it fixed the annual budget last Monday. The commissioner took exception to the impression which has gained ground that whatever amount of increases he decided upon for his men would be the basis on which other departments would decide their advances and says that he has been in consultation with nobody on the matter except the superintendent of streets.

Mayor Perry D. Thompson said earlier in the week that the wages of the health department men would be decided after Commissioner Murphy's decision.

	Old Rate	New Rate	Increase	Aggregate Increase
Sparrow Men .....	\$3.75	\$4.20	.45	2,875.00
Laborers .....	4.25	4.50	.25	15,250.00
Barn Men .....	4.25	4.75	.50	6,850.00
Timber Men .....	4.31	4.75	.44	1,452.00
Foremen .....	4.60	5.00	.40	240.00
				27,517.00

### Storm Becomes Genuine Blizzard

NORTHAMPTON, March 6.—The rain storm of yesterday turned about last night into a blustering snow storm, and this morning eight inches of snow had fallen and later in the day the storm had become genuine blizzard.

The street cars on all lines have ceased running. The highway are in a horrible condition for traveling. Slush and snow are six inches deep on the walks. Steam roads are running with great difficulty.

### Christian Science Case

Continued

says, referring to the deed creating the Publishing society trustees, "seems to me to contemplate a church where voting members were to elect the new members and make its by-laws, and a publishing society in close alliance with, but not under the rule of the church or its officers."

Mr. Dodge, who formerly was judge of the United States circuit court here, was appointed as master by Judge Loring of the supreme court to determine the facts at issue, and also to interpret two deeds of trust made in 1892 and 1899, respectively, by Mary Baker Eddy, founder of the Christian Science church. In the first trust deed, Mrs. Eddy named four trustees, since designated as directors, and in the second she provided for trustees who should have charge of all publications intended to promote the growth of the Christian Science movement.

The trustees of the publishing society claimed that under their deed they were independent of control by the directors. The directors contended that under the by-laws and manual of the mother church they were the supreme authority over all its activities.

Judge Dodge upholds the ground taken by counsel for the trustees and for Dittmore that the by-laws of the church did not confer powers upon the trustees possessed by "deacons" or "wardens" of churches incorporated under the statutes of Massachusetts. These by-laws, in the opinion of Judge Dodge, are simply a contract created by the signed applications for membership in the church.

He denies the contention of counsel for the directors appointed under the deed of trust of 1892, that these directors and those created by the church by-laws are one and the same body, having equal powers and authority to displace one of their own members as well as a trustee of the publishing society.

The master rules that at present there are two sets of directors of the Christian Science Church, each having the same name, one constituted of a board of four under the deed of 1892, and the other of five members acting under the by-laws made by the directors in 1903 after "First Members" of the church had transferred their powers to the directors.

In deciding in favor of Rowlands, Judge Dodge says that his removal by the directors was unlawful because there was not concurrent action on the part of the First Members of the Christian Science Church as required by the deed of Mrs. Eddy relating to vacancies.

If the "First Members" had the power to abolish themselves and transfer their duties to the directors, says the master, those directors were the ones appointed under Mrs. Eddy's deed and not the directors since created by the by-laws of the church.

The only two directors, he says, who had a right to vote to remove Rowlands were Adam H. Dickey and William R. Rathvon, and their votes were not a majority of the board. Edward A. Merritt, a by-law director, Judge Dodge finds, had no right to vote.

### EXCELLENT PROGRAM FOR IRISH CONCERT

So absorbed and interested have the American people become in the activities and ambitions of the Irish race that anything calculated to add to their knowledge of the Gaelic character is assured of an eager welcome. Their longing for national independence and the determination with which they are seeking to satisfy that longing at the present time has won the heartfelt sympathy and unstinted admiration of the people of this freeland, who will never forget that they were once in a similar predicament.

There is, however, another phase of the Irish mind which deserves attention. No race has a greater store of native poetry and song. The great bards of Erin have given to the world an almost inexhaustible supply of exquisite music in which clearly portrayed the premonitory characteristics of their beloved nation. From such an abundance there is little difficulty in selecting materials for the entertainment of practical any gathering.

On Sunday, March 14, the Mathe Temperance Institute will present their annual Irish concert, and with full appreciation of the possibilities offered them by this vast accumulation of musical gems they have not only made their selections with scrupulous care but have secured the very best talent available for their rendition. In this way the public is assured of a concert which it will find a real pleasure to attend, one which will hold the interest from the outset to the final curtain. In the ensemble numbers the work of a chorus of eighty mixed voices will show the results of weeks of rehearsal under the tutelage of Director Frank Clarke, and the accompanying of orchestra, with Paul Angelo, the pianist directing, will be all that could be desired.

In the past the demand for tickets at these concerts has been so great and the seating accommodation so limited that this year the committee in charge has felt the necessity of securing a more commodious auditorium and have engaged the Lowell Opera House. They have also decided to have a matinee performance and thus present an opportunity for all who wish to attend secure desirable seats. The program at both performances will be precisely the same. Advance sale of seats starts next Wednesday at Opera House box office.

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53 CENTRAL STREET



WILL U. S. SENATE REJECT COLBY  
AS WELL AS TREATY?

Precedents for Rejection of Cabinet Appointments---Little Hope for Treaty---Investigation of High Price of Cotton Yarn

(Special to The Sun)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 6.—Someone was discussing the matter of possible rejection of Mr. Colby as secretary of state, by the senate. That brought to the front the question of whether or not there was a precedent for such rejection or whether the senate had an unwritten law to the effect that it was the privilege of a president to select his official family regardless of senatorial preference, even though the selection must be confirmed by that body.

Looking back over the files of cabinet appointments it was found that many instances had occurred where the senate rejected the presidential nominee. It is believed, however, that Mr. Colby will be confirmed, although his confirmation may be delayed. At most, it is thought possible his nomination might remain unacted on, giving the president the opportunity to give him a recess appointment.

The first senate rejection was in 1834 when Roger B. Taney was nominated secretary of the treasury by President Jackson, and within 21 hours the senate rejected him. Taney had acted as secretary under a recess appointment for six months and congress had been in session another six months before his name was sent in by the president. Certain action of Taney regarding bank deposits was said to be the cause of his quick rejection by the senate.

Nine years later, in 1843 Caleb Cushing was three times rejected by the senate as secretary of the treasury, attributed to his course in supporting the Whig party. This was in President Tyler's administration which furnished more senate rejections than all the other administrations combined.

Pres. Tyler's cabinet nominations were rejected as follows: James S. Greene, secretary of treasury; James M. Porter, secretary of war; David Henshaw, secretary of navy. It is said all of them were rejected by the senate in consequence of party disagreement, the party being badly split at that time.

Twenty years later President Johnson, nominated Henry Stanbury attorney general, but in less than a week the senate rejected him; Stanbury had been attorney general but resigned to become a counsel for Johnson in his impeachment trial. At the conclusion of the trial Johnson immediately re-nominated him and the senate promptly rejected the nomination. This was in 1868 and the same year Johnson named Lorenzo Thomas secretary of war, ad interim, but he did not assume the duties of the office as secretary of war, Stanton refused to vacate the office. Stanton continued in office, his removal by Johnson not having been approved. He relinquished the office on May 25, 1868, the day of the acquittal of Johnson in the impeachment trial.

Only one instance is shown where a cabinet nominee was neither rejected nor confirmed. That was in 1858, when Johnson's nomination of Thomas Ewing for secretary of war was considered by the committee but never acted upon, so confirmation and rejection were both withheld.

So it turns out there has been a precedent established for all three phases of the possible Colby situation. Since 1868 no cabinet nomination has failed confirmation.

## The Treaty Fight

The stampede to endorse the Lodge reservation points to a rejection of Continued on Page 5—Second Section

## Quarter Century Ago

Deadlocks were the bane of the old city charter. Sometimes it was between the lower board and the upper and sometimes between both boards and the mayor; but occasionally also there was a political deadlock in one or other of the branches over the election of a president or the choice of some official. One of the most notable deadlocks occurred in the lower board 25 years ago of which I shall give the main features as taken from the long accounts in the old Sun.

The old city council had two branches patterned after the legislature and for about five weeks the lower board was unable to elect a president because 12 republicans voted for one of their members and the 13 democrats for a democratic candidate for president. On neither side was there any selected candidate for whom all should vote, although in several cases the full strength on each side was cast for a particular candidate. Meeting after meeting was held and the balloting never showed a majority for any candidate until about the middle of February when John E. Sullivan of the old ward 6 was elected, receiving 13 votes.

The republicans raised an awful howl. They accused Councilman Sanborn because somebody had heard a report before the meeting that he was going to vote for a democrat. There wasn't a more surprised man in the council than Mr. Sullivan who was elected. He was not a candidate and didn't want it, but he was elected and had to hold the fort.

It was too much for the republicans to stand and they forced Councilman Sanborn to institute quo warranto proceedings to oust Sullivan and incidentally to prove that he had not betrayed his party. He did not. Speaking of the case before the attorney general the old Sun said:

"The quo warranto proceedings are on at last. All the rumors of trades and talks of how they would like to trade are likely to be told by the republicans. The hearing opened at 10 a. m. at Attorney General Knowlton's office, in Park street, in the Commonwealth building.

"The only councilmen who were conspicuous by their absence were Messrs. Maguire, Garvey, O'Day and Howard, three democrats and a lone republican.

"All the democratic representatives were on hand, besides City Messenger Cahill, Clerk of the Council Frank Simmons, Senator Foss and several other citizens.

"Councilman Sanborn was next called and he said he voted for John Oliver on that particular night. He wrote the name on the ballot.

"He said he asked Mr. Barry to read the report again, which he did, and then he demanded that the ballots be produced, and was ignored. He

identified an affidavit he had made, which was put in as evidence. He did not recall what Aldermen Tryder and Varnum had said to him, but Councilman Webster said to him that he had better not vote for a democrat as it was rumored he was going to do.

"He voted for Mr. Oliver because he thought a second year man better fitted and also thought that they might come around to himself. Any democrat not been approached by any democrats.

"On cross-examination he said he never was in conference with any parties at which trades were spoken of.

"John E. Sullivan, the president, said that one of the councilmen said to him: 'Jack, you'll be elected on the next ballot.'

"If I thought that was so," continued Mr. Sullivan, "I wouldn't have voted for myself, as I didn't want it."

"And you don't want it now, do you?" asked Mr. Quinn.

"Well, I'll try and hold it as long as I can," and a general smile went around the room, someone remarking, 'He has the fever.'

Councilman P. H. Barry who had charge of the ballots was asked what he did with them and he said he burned them in his own house.

Francis P. Rivel, a republican who was on the committee to count the ballots, testified that he counted the ballots carefully and was positive that there were 13 for Sullivan.

It was suggested that an Oliver ballot cast by Sanborn might have been mistaken for a Sullivan ballot, and to clear up this theory, Sanborn was asked to write a ballot for Oliver and one for Sullivan to see what resemblance there might be. There was very little similarity and the attorney general concluded that either some republican voted for Sullivan or else a Sullivan ballot was surreptitiously exchanged for one cast for a republican member; but of this there was no proof. It was Rivel's testimony that clinched the case. The attorney general said he found no evidence on which he could unseat Sullivan.

That was one of the deadlocks that made the people weary of the old charter and caused them to turn to something new which would eliminate party politics and deadlocks. But they jumped from the frying pan into the fire. Had both boards been consolidated in one, with the mayor retaining his power, the charter would have been almost a duplicate of the so-called Corbett charter.

## Death of Two Prominent Lawyers

About this time 25 years ago, Lowell lost two of her leading lawyers, one E. B. Quinn, Esq., a young man of brilliant talents, the other, Hon. J. N. Marshall, an eminent lawyer, at the age of 65 years.

Lawyer Quinn died as the result of a cold contracted while attending the



THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME

REIGN OF TERROR  
IS DESCRIBED

Boston Man Among 17 American Survivors of 22 Days of Horror at Marash

Armenians Slaughtered by Turks—U. S. Flag Fired On—Hospitals Shelled

80 Girls Inmates of Rescue Home Murdered—French and Turks in Battle

ADANA, Asia Minor, Sunday, Feb. 23. (By A. T.)—Since the siege of Pekin, foreigners have undergone no more nerve-racking experience than 17 relief workers of the American committee for relief in the near east, shut up for 22 days without outside communication in a mission compound at Marash.

They were under a constant rain of lead, while French troops, aided by Armenians, battled with Turkish nationalists for possession of the city.

Funeral of Rev. Fr. Garin, O.M.I. In the course of a lengthy tribute to his memory, the old Sun said:

"Judge Quinn, as he was familiarly called, was one of the brightest lawyers in the city. He was acquainted with all the fine points of the law and was quick to perceive and embrace any advantage offered while arguing a case. As a public speaker he gained quite a reputation and possessed those qualities which are characteristic of speakers of prominence, being logical, fluent and convincing, with a vein of keen humor which became satirical when he used it against a formidable opponent."

Hon. J. N. Marshall was a native of Dracut. He had been a classmate of the late Rev. J. M. Greene at Amherst in 1853. For a time he practiced law in Hopkinton, but made his reputation in Lowell as one of the best read members of the bar. Speaking of his political record the old Sun said:

"Mr. Marshall was a member of the house of representatives in 1863-4 and in April, 1864, he introduced and fought for the bill for a state appropriation of \$1000 for the Ladd and Whitney monument in this city. He won the passage of this bill. In 1867 to 69 he was a member of the senate. From 1869 to 74 he was a member of the state board of harbor commissioners and while in that office did much of the difficult planning by which a new prominent business section of Boston was added to the extent of the city by the draining and filling in of the well known South Boston flats. He was also concerned in reclaiming the Back Bay lands."

OLD TIMER.

more than half of which was burned during the engagement, which brought about a terrible loss of life.

The story is told in the diary of Rev. C. F. H. Crathern, a Boston Y.M.C.A. secretary, who went through the siege and arrived at Adana Feb. 15.

Rev. Mr. Crathern, with Paul Snyder, Miss Helen Schultz of Reading, Pa., a French lieutenant and two Armenians, attempted to leave Marash by automobile for Aintah, Jan. 20, but were driven back to Marash by a fusillade of bullets, notwithstanding the fact that Mr. Crathern displayed the American flag.

Turks Fight French.

Reverent among the Turks over the French occupation of Marash and other Cilician cities had been apparent for many weeks. Mr. Crathern reports, and Algerian troops were engaged in a skirmish with Turkish bands when an American automobile appeared and drew fire from the Turks. Mr. Crathern's diary says that Jan. 21 he found Marash with its bazaars and shops closed and the Turks talking in small groups throughout the city.

At noon shots were heard by the relief workers, indicating that the long threatened clash had started. French officials arrested several important Turkish officials, which it was presumed precipitated a clash at Aroa. Shooting soon began in all parts of the city. A French sentinel guarding an American hospital was killed and another French soldier was wounded.

Hospital Attacked.

Sniping continued throughout the night, and the Americans were awakened on the 22d by the sound of guns and flashes from exploding shells. An attack was made on the American hospital, the doctors and nurses having a narrow escape.

Fighting continued on the 23d, and through his field glasses Mr. Crathern said he could see Armenians fleeing through the streets before the Turks who shot them down, while Turkish snipers on the hills about the city shot at the Armenians attempting to leave Marash.

The diary says: "It was pitiful to see them throw up their hands and scream while attempting to escape. We watched them fleeing over the hills until they reached our command, some dropping wounded and others staggering into the mission grounds with wild eyes and purple faces, telling of the awful massacre just beginning."

On the 24th the Americans conferred with the French commander, General Querre, and told him stories the refugees brought of the horrors. He said he would try to correct the situation. But efforts to negotiate a cessation of hostilities failed and a heavy bombardment began in the afternoon. The French fired upon certain sections from which Turks were sniping.

## City in Darkness at Night

"At night the city is in total darkness," the diary continues.

"Whenever we go from one compound to another we creep along walls to escape being hit. Every compound is filled with frightened refugees, alarmed over the fate of their relatives. The American committee for relief in the near east is feeding 2000 orphans and refugees with only a few days' supply, and the bread problem is grave. Today we raised the American flag, but no sooner had we raised it to the mast than a salute from a dozen guns sent us scampering to cover. I just

timed 33 shots in one minute. Machine guns are pecking away like giant woodpeckers.

"Five messengers were sent yesterday for supplies and reinforcements. I do not know whether they will reach Aintah. It is risky, as the whole country is in the flame of revolt. While the days are exciting, the nights are more so, with great guns booming and soldiers creeping stealthily forth with benzine torches and hand grenades. Fires are raging in various sections and the city is like Dante's Inferno."

"Jan. 25—Hundreds of Armenians are trying to reach our compound, but the light made by fires the Turks are setting in Armenian quarters makes their escape impossible."

"Jan. 27—At this moment there is a young woman in our house who tells us she prayed for five nights in a cellar with 100 other persons. The Turks told them to surrender, promising them protection. They agreed. The Turks told the men to come out of the house. The woman said her husband went first, and was shot by their own Turkish neighbor, whom she knew well."

## Woman Wounded, Child Slain

"Jan. 28—A pitiful case arriving today was that of Mrs. Selattian, wife of the pastor of the Third church. She was bleeding from bullet and knife wounds. She says her child of 15 months was slain."

"Jan. 30—No relief in sight."

"Jan. 31—Nine persons were shot today on the college grounds, some of them seriously. Fortunately we have plenty of wheat now and by keeping the women grinding from sunrise to sunset we can feed the people. Mrs. Selattian died today. The uncertain situation is a great strain on the nerves of the ladies of our party, but they are bravely and cheerfully ministering to the unfortunate."

"Feb. 1—More children have been shot in orphanages and hospitals continue to be attacked. The refugees are much alarmed at the success of the Turks."

"Feb. 2—A shell fell today through the roof of a hospital and into the attic just above the floor where many patients were quartered. The Turks tried to set fire to the Bartlett orphanage."

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RULES NEWSPAPERS MAY  
PRINT ALL TESTIMONY

CHICAGO, March 6.—The privilege of a newspaper to publish and be informed of any testimony given in an open court, whether this testimony be true or false, was upheld in a ruling made yesterday by Judge Oscar M. Torrison of the circuit court. It is the first time on record that this question of privilege has been decided specifically by an Illinois court.

Judge Torrison held not only that a newspaper is entitled to publish such testimony, but also that the guilt or innocence of any persons injured by the testimony has no bearing whatever on any action for libel brought by that person against the newspaper because of its publication.

The ruling was given in the form of instructions to the jury which had heard the evidence in a suit for libel brought by Henry J. Earnest against the Chicago Tribune.

DRUG PIT YAWNING IN AMERICA,  
SAYS AUTHORITY ON NARCOTICS

This Country May Fall Into Deeper Pit Than She Sought to Avert by Prohibition—Must Draw Smuggling Net

BY LORRY A. JACOBS.

N.E.A. Staff Correspondent.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The attention of the same forces that stamped out the curse of alcoholism must be directed to the eradication of drug-using or America will fall in a deeper pit than she sought to avert by prohibition.

This is the statement of Charles B. Towns, recognized as the greatest living authority on drugs.

"Do not mistake me," says Towns. "No one could be more against the use of stimulants than I am. And prohibition at any cost is a bargain. But we must not neglect what I consider to

brings their agents swooping down with all the power of their huge propaganda machinery to sweep away the results of any work an individual might do. As a matter of fact, the real prohibition of habit-forming drugs could be adjusted over night by an agreement between doctors, drug dispensers and wholesalers of drugs.

"But whatever is done in the way of lawmaking we must learn to know more fully of the problem ahead of us. Drug victims have increased, and will continue to increase as thousands seek for something else to satisfy the craving for stimulants denied them by the impossibility to get liquor. If we are wise they will disappear with the chronic alcoholic and untold good will be done for the nation. But if we are not wise the corner drug store will become a greater menace than the saloon and the drug dispenser a greater enemy of society than the bootlegger."

Net Is Tightened

That the revenue department has tightened its net in order to keep the expected flood of illegal drugs from pouring into this country is certain.

But even their watchfulness will not prevent enough dope from coming into this country to corrupt hundreds of thousands, according to Towns, who says:

"Smuggling of drugs is very easy. A spare set of tires on a motor car coming from Canada can contain a staggering amount of misery-dealing drugs. And it is certain that the Mexican border is going to be used as it was never used before for the introducing of these death-dealers. And drug peddling is the easiest thing in the world for those who understand it."

## The Dope on Dope

In 1915, 3400 chests of opium were imported into the United States; in 1919 (first 10 months) 4000 chests or 546,000 pounds were imported. This is equal to the amount China absorbed in 1907 and far greater than the amount now going into China.

One drug store in New York last year disposed of \$150,000 worth of habit-forming drugs.

Great Britain shipped to Japan (which does not tolerate the sale of opium or its derivatives) 25 tons of morphine in 1917 and this amount has been increasing. Most of the morphine used clandestinely in this country has come by the Japan-Mexico route.

Fifteen thousand dollars' worth of cocaine in a small paper bag was seized by Internal revenue agents in New York a few days ago.

Dope cases in the New York special sessions court are now nearly three times the number they were 12 months ago.

There are now 3262 cases in the New York hospital for the cure of drug addicts. Of this number 1852 are native born Americans, 2502 whites and 460 negroes. 1836 of this number are under 25.

Says Agents Sweep Down

"One word from those interested under 25."

## Deny Soviet Republic in Portugal

MADRID, March 5.—Governors of Spanish provinces along the Portuguese frontier deny reports that a soviet republic has been proclaimed in that country, and add there is probability of a settlement of strike here. The Spanish minister at Lisbon has not as yet reported on the situation, owing to a break in communications between Madrid and that city.

VIGO, Spain, March 6.—Portuguese railroad men have obtained satisfaction of their demands and service has been resumed. Trains are coming across the frontier at Tuy as usual.

## TABERNACLE

East Merrimack Street at Stockpole

SUNDAY, MARCH 7—HOURS OF SERVICES:

NO MORNING MEETING

3.30 P. M.—Meeting for pastors, church and Sabbath school officers.

6.30 P. M.—Meeting for EVERYBODY. This meeting will begin before 6.30 if the Tabernacle is filled earlier. Overflow meeting if needed, to be held in Central Methodist church.

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## RIBBON DRESS HAS HAT OF CHIFFON TO MATCH



BY CORA MOORE

New York's Fashion Authority. NEW YORK, March 6.—Have you a ribbon dress and a hat of ribbon to match it? Mafiorie Hest is very proud of the ribbon costume, as she calls it, that she wears in "Scandal," and New York's society girls are all wearing them.

Miss Hest's frock has, first, a straight foundation skirt with bandeau bodice of silk. For the overdress, a cream-colored chiffon is used and to this satin ribbon in different widths is sewed, back and front, as shown in the picture; then the ribbon

is enclosed with single rows of beads, and wreaths of beads and silver flower sprigs are applied here and there over the chiffon.

Down each side run three lace ruffles, each three inches wide. A straight piece of chiffon is draped across the bandeau foundation, its lower edge finished with inch-wide ribbon and the upper with a border of lace and ribbon, while the flower and bead motifs add the finishing touches, as in the skirt.

The hat, with its dangling ribbons, is a little, round, crush affair, all of chiffon.

close friend of Lady Astor, has returned to the United States after a visit to Lady Astor's home at Clendon, Eng. She is the author of "The King's Cupbearer."

## Lady Lookabout

Coming down Merrimack street yesterday afternoon, I walked behind a young girl garbed according to the fashion of the present moment, and so uncouth and clumsy did she look that I felt sorry for the poor little thing. Even the sweet beauty of youth which was hers failed to save her from what amounted almost to grotesqueness. Needless to say, she wore overshoes, the hooks unfastened and the tops swashbuckling and flapping with the rattle of light artillery. I am not criticizing this young girl for the way she wore her overshoes, for I have seen one of our most respectable legal lights, a man of mature years, scuffling along with his overshoes unfastened, also a widely known business man, until lately considered a man of rare judgment. To return to the girl. She wore a dark skirt surely not more than 30 inches around the bottom. I was admiring her ability to make even the slow progress she accomplished, until I noticed that the back seam was open to the knee. A cumbersome leather coat and rakish velvet tam completed the outfit. Each line of her silhouette was ugly and unbecoming. I was of a character on the comic page of a certain widely circulated daily whose exaggeration of current fashions are quite enough to make every woman who thinks she keeps up to the minute, to stop and listen to what her neighbors are saying. The young woman I mention did not seem to think she was odd-looking. In fact she hobbled along apparently happy in the thought that she was fashionably gowned. Robert Burns knew what he was talking about when he wrote,

"O wad some power the gifts gie us To see ourselves as others see us."

## Educational Opportunities

Often I wonder that the many educational facilities offered to employed persons are so neglected. And often I wonder why so many ambitious young men and women feel they can get nothing in the educational line unless they go to Boston for it, and so they put upon themselves the hardship and expense of three or four evening trips to Boston when the same courses could be secured here if only someone cared enough to agitate the matter. There is no reason why an evening course in law by reputable authorities could not be given here if a sufficient number signified their desire for it. The Textile school, in addition to its unexcelled courses in textile science, machinery, electricity, and so on, has this winter offered a wonderful course in expert accounting, yet many there are who travel back and forth from Boston weekly for a similar course. Mr. Harris of the evening high school stands ready at any time to offer any course a sufficient number may wish. The same is true of the Lowell Teachers' organization in connection with State University Extension courses. The Middlesex Women's club offers courses, also the League of Catholic Women, yet the attendance at these classes is distressingly small.

It probably is the same old story of "green fields, far away." "Acres of Diamonds" at our very doors, yet none is so blind as he who will not see.

All anyone in Lowell has to do in order to secure what he desires in an educational way, is merely to wish for it and it will be produced for him to grasp.

## The Suffrage Fight

Wouldn't you think that with every stronghold of the anti-suffrage element laid low and in ruins, those honorable opponents would accept the inevitable like good sports and join us at the polls? But they can't. Witness the cover of the current number of The Saturday Evening Post. A charming young woman, ready to mark her ballot, hesitates between a handsome young male political aspirant and an ordinary, bewhiskered, somewhat aged gladiator. Evidently she is inclining to the young Apollo. The moral is obvious, and yet the artist is not necessarily right. She has only the portraits of these men to guide her and she is voting accordingly. Many a man goes to the polls who has not even a portrait to guide him in his choice. It is a notorious fact that the average man in marking his ballot, invariably marks the first names on it, and as they are arranged alphabetically, the man whose initial comes low in the alphabet generally has a pretty slim chance of election. Often I have wondered how Mayor Thompson won out! If I were an artist I should just love to make a magazine cover with a man voting whose only reason for his choice was that the candidate's initial stood near the head of the list.

LADY LOOKABOUT.

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## YOUTH AND SIMPLICITY ARE EXPRESSED IN LINES OF "PETAL" FROCK AND GOWNS OF TULLE AND LACE

NEW YORK, March 4.—On the stage of today simplicity and youthfulness mark the lines of many evening gowns, to an extent unknown a few years ago. They are adaptable for debutante or even "sub-deb" in some instances. The same influence extends to the screen. One such gown designed for Constance Binney is the "petal" frock shown at the left. It is of pink georgette crepe, with three flounces forming the skirt. Each flounce is deeply scalloped, and the scallops edged with pearl beading. At the other side Miss Binney is shown in a gown of silver cloth and pale-green tulle. The bodice is a plain bandeau of the silver cloth, with narrow shoulder straps of tulle and cloth. A full straight skirt of green tulle is held down by cords of silver beading at intervals. Small tabs of the beading topped with flesh-pink rosebuds mark the waistline. Only a bit more elaborate is this lamp-shade effect of cobweb lace and tulle. Its wide satin sash is edged with monkey fur. Brief sleeves of the cobweb lace start toward the elbows.

## NEW LACE PATTERN DESIGN EVERY WEEK

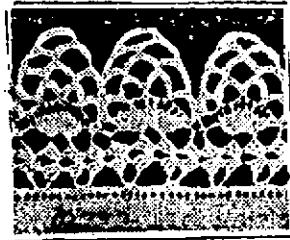
Beautiful on guest or large size towels, made with No. 50 thread. Chain 7 and connect, thus making a ring.

Chain 5 and double crochet twice into the ring, chain 3 and double crochet 3 times into the same ring.

Chain 5 and double crochet 3 times into the space made by crocheting the 3 stitches in previous row, chain 3 times and double crochet 3 times into the same space.

Chain 5 and do the same as in the last row.

Chain 3 and double crochet 11 times into the 5 chain stitches made when you made the second row. Chain 3 and double crochet into the chain this



side of the last double crochet stitch and between the 11 stitches, making 13 double crochet stitches in all.

Chain 6 and connect with a slip stitch or single crochet stitch to third double stitch of previous row—chain 6 again, and continue until you have 4 loops each of 4 chain stitches. Turn and fill each loop with single crochet stitches until the last loop, filling only half of that. Turning make 6 chain stitches and catch it into the middle of the second loop, and continue making 6 chain stitches until you have made 3 loops. Turn and fill the first 2 with single crochet stitches and half the third loop. Turn making two loops of 6 chain stitches each, fastening them into the middle of the loops, as described above. Turn and fill the first loop and half of the second with the single crochet stitches, turn making 1 loop of 6 chain stitches. Turn and fill that loop with single crochet stitches and continue on filling the half loops left on each row.

Chain 5 and catch it into the middle chain stitch of the chain made in starting the acorn. Chain 5 and start the same as in starting the lace, that is, double crochet 3 times into the space made by the 3 chain stitches, and double crochet 3 times again, chain 5 and make 3 more of these.

Chain 3 and double crochet 11 times into the 5 chain stitches made in making the second row of this set, and fasten the last double crochet stitch into the third chain stitch of the first row of 5 chain stitches made in finishing the last acorn. Turn and make the 12 stitches as explained in the previous pattern, then turn and make 4 loops of 6 chain stitches each. In making the last chain of 6 stitches after fastening it to the last double crochet stitch make a chain stitch and fasten this acorn to the middle chain of the last 5 chain stitches, and continue on as explained above, always fastening each acorn to the one made before in the two laces mentioned.

## WINS IN ESSAY

Hers Was the Best of 8000 Submitted

BUTTE, Mont., March 6.—Andree McDonald, 12-year-old schoolgirl won



ANDREE McDONALD

first prize in the army essay contest against 8000 other school children. The best essay in each of the 25 schools in Butte was submitted to a committee. Little Miss McDonald, although only an eighth grade student, defeated 1500 high school contestants. She had 393 words in her essay, which was limited to 400.

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AGNES CHALMERS

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NEW YORK, March 6.—Miss Agnes

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## FLOODS CAUSE HEAVY DAMAGE

Freezing Temperatures Ex-  
pected To Check Floods in  
Pennsylvania and Delaware

Most Severe Storm of Win-  
ter Brings Relief to Many  
Driven From Homes

PHILADELPHIA, March 6.—Freezing temperatures following a raging snow, wind and rain storm, were expected today to check the floods which last night broke over eastern Pennsylvania and Delaware, causing heavy damage and driving many persons from their homes.

The storm, which raged from 8 o'clock last night until shortly before daylight was one of the most severe of the winter. Driven by a strong northwest gale, the snow piled up in big drifts and brought trolley service in this city to a standstill. Hundreds of night workers living in outlying sections were forced to spend the night at hotels.

### Bridges Swept Away

Virtually every stream in this section of the state overflowed its banks yesterday and ice gorges broken by the high water swept away bridges and railroad tracks. Telegraph and telephone service was put out of commission in many places and a number of towns and cities were in darkness last night by the flooding of power plants. Men, women and children, marooned in their homes, were rescued in boats, some of them being taken from second story windows.

### Many Towns Inundated

Towns along the Schuylkill and Susquehanna rivers appeared to be the heavy sufferers. Reading, Lancaster, Harrisburg, Williamsport and Wilkes-Barre reported heavy damage. Parts of all these towns were inundated and much of the surrounding lowland was under water. Most of them were without suburban trolley service.

The breaking of two ice gorges in the Schuylkill river above Reading caused all of the industries in that city using electric power, to close. Bridges and houses were swept away at Lancaster. All the streams in the Wyoming valley overflowed and low lying sections of Wilkes-Barre and suburban towns were under water. At South Wilkes-Barre, all traffic except by boats, was suspended, and scores of families were marooned in their homes.

## SYMPHONY CONCERT MASTER FIRED

BOSTON, March 6.—A storm of hisses from the audience in Symphony hall yesterday afternoon—without doubt the most conservative assemblage to be found anywhere in this city—erected the affront which Concert Master Frederic Franklin put upon Conductor Pierre Monteux and the entire audience by refusing to rise and bow with the other musicians when motioned to do so by the conductor.

At a meeting of the Boston Symphony Orchestra corporation last night, when the concertmaster was taken from the orchestra.

Mr. Franklin's refusal to rise was apparently a sequel to the disagreement between him and Mr. Monteux at the concert given by the orchestra in Sanders theatre, Cambridge, on Thursday evening, when it is understood, Mr. Monteux refused to allow Mr. Franklin to share a dressing room with him, as has been the custom in the past, telling him to use the big dressing room in common with the other musicians.

When Mr. Monteux appeared upon the stage of Symphony hall at yesterday afternoon's concert there was an unusual volume of applause. At the end of the symphony, directly before the long intermission, the conductor, upon his third recall to the platform, turned, in accordance with his invariable custom, to the concertmaster and the musicians, motioning for them

## STAIRS SEEMED ENDLESS CLIMB

Every woman's health is peculiarly dependent upon the condition of the blood. How many women suffer from headache, pains in the back, lack of appetite, indigestion, weariness, palpitation of the heart, shortness of breath, dizzy spells and nervousness? If you have any of these symptoms of anemia, or if slight effort, like climbing stairs, exhausts you, begin treatment today with the remedy which Mrs. Patrick S. O'Connell, of No. 93 Park Street, Barre, Vt., found so beneficial.

When seen recently at her home, Mrs. O'Connell certainly didn't look like an invalid, yet according to her story, she was very weak and run down until she found the remedy that helped her.

"Overwork was the cause of my run-down condition," said Mrs. O'Connell. "I didn't get rest enough and then became so weak and nervous that I couldn't sleep. I suffered from spells of dizziness and dreaded the thought of having to climb a flight of stairs because I had to rest so often and was all in when I reached the top."

"Did this condition continue long?" she was asked.

"Yes," answered Mrs. O'Connell, "though I am sure that if I had happened to hear about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills sooner I could have saved myself a great deal of suffering. A friend recommended them to me and she was so enthusiastic in praise of the pills that I procured a box. After a few days' treatment I began to gain strength and it wasn't a great while before my appetite improved. The nervousness disappeared and now I can do any work about my home without unusual effort. I have great faith in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

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to rise and bow in acknowledgment of the applause.

The musicians all arose in obedience to the conductor's gesture except Mr. Franklin, who sat perfectly still, paying not the slightest attention either to Mr. Monteux or to the audience. As soon as the significance of the concertmaster's action became clear to the audience, loud hisses came from the entire orchestra floor and from the first balcony.

BELIEVE NOTED INVENTOR  
HAS BEEN KIDNAPPED

CHICAGO, March 6.—Whereabouts of Angelus J. Casten, experimental chemist and inventor of a chemical propulsive agent for depth bombs used by the United States in the "world war," today was a mystery which caused concern here. Casten's fiancée and his brother, Samuel Casten, said they believed the inventor had been kidnapped.

Casten left for Washington Wednesday morning, according to his fiancée, to collect government royalties. The next day she received a post card bearing his signature and mailed at Battle Creek, Mich., and a few hours later a telegram from Detroit said Casten had been killed there by a train. Then followed another telegram from Detroit and a postcard mailed from Detroit late Wednesday night bearing his signature and saying that he was leaving for Chicago.

The Detroit telegrams were signed by "The Identification company of America" and bore a fictitious address.



CAMPAIGN DREAMS—NO. 1

## PREMIERS FOR PRES. WILSON'S PROPOSAL

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Pending publication of President Wilson's answer to the latest communication of the French and British premiers on the Adriatic situation, the state department has made public the text of the premier's note containing an invitation that Mr. Wilson join them in urging Italy and Jugoslavia to seek a settlement by direct negotiations between themselves.

The reply of the president reached London yesterday, but will not be made public here until Monday owing to delays in getting it into the hands of Premier Millerand of France.

The text of the premier's note containing the invitation made public by the state department, gave renewed assurance that it was their purpose to consult the views of the American government whatever course the Adriatic problem took short of ultimate failure to negotiate a compromise of the treaty of London. In that event, the note pointed out, France and England would be bound to adhere to their war-time agreement with Italy.

The note of the premier's contained also a suggestion that should the direct conversations produce no agreement between Italy and Jugoslavia, they would seek with Mr. Wilson to formulate new concrete proposals to these governments.

The department also gave out four other notes of the Adriatic correspondence bearing on settlement proposals made by Italy and by the premier, but all of which are now down away with to pave the way for new efforts toward a compromise.

### ERRORS DELAY PUBLICATION

LONDON, March 6.—Important passages in President Wilson's reply to the allied premier's note relative to the Adriatic, are obscure, owing to errors of transmission which have necessitated cabled repetition, and it is understood that for this reason the American president's communication has not been made public here.

Some newspapers which have learned unofficially as to the nature of the contents of the reply remark with evident satisfaction, that it does not imply withdrawal of the United States from the peace conference, and indicates compliance with two or three of the Anglo-French suggestions.

### Wilson's Note Not Discussed

PARIS, March 6.—President Wilson's reply to the note sent him by the allied premier's note relative to the Adriatic, was not discussed by members of the supreme allied council at London yesterday, because of obscurities in the text, the cable company being asked for a repetition, says "Pertinax" in the Echo de Paris. As far as can be ascertained however, he says, Mr. Wilson does not show any desire to withdraw from European concerns and accepts the French and British suggestions—that efforts be made to reach a direct understanding between Italy and Jugoslavia, relative to the Adriatic problem.

It is said that, should this step fail, Mr. Wilson would be ready to sanction any agreement satisfactory to the Italians and Jugoslavs, but that he lets it be understood he regards the tentative agreement of Dec. 3 the most equitable solution of the problem and most consistent with the previous allied policy. The American president is understood to reject the treaty of London as a means of settling the controversy, while carefully refraining from offering any other method for consideration.

As matters stand, "Pertinax" adds the Italian cabinet has transmitted to the Belgrade government its latest concessions, the most important of which is the abandonment of continuity of territory between Fiume and Italy. The Jugoslavs answer has not yet been received in Rome.

## THEY'VE KNOCKED THE ALE OUT OF MALE

It sounds like they're fuppin', yet over in "Lunnon" high collars have met with a ban. The reason for that is, a fellow felt that, and a high collar killed the poor man.

"It choked him 'till dead," so the coroner said. "It's a lesson from which we should gain." And now



Which leads, we might say, to a most modern day when the men folk will log out in lace. We can see, in a haze, the new "neckties," with man's husky neck for their place.

Friend wife's lace, we fear, shortly may disappear, as hubby takes needle and thread, and stitches and



It brings up again, what's to happen to men, if these dunnies fads rule the day? 'Tween the wrist watch and spats and our freakish-shaped hats, are we males slowly passing away?

And then there's an angle that enters this tangle—consider the laundry man, folk; he earns his dollar from washing our collar—this new fad to him is no joke.

All told, we'll admit that this hunch is, no hit and as song-writing poets would sing; if we men folk must die to wear collars up high, we meekly say, "death, where's thy sting?"

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## Storm Comes as Blizzard

Continued

It swept the fast falling snow into drifts and at nighttime was whistling up every street at the rate of 30-miles an hour. At times the snow blew in such quantities and at such a speed that objects only a few feet distant were entirely blotted out.

The Bay State division of the Eastern Massachusetts put all its storm equipment onto the rails as soon as possible and began a fight to hold city tracks. Weakened cars were not able to stand the strain and gave out right and left. Some left the rails and even plows became stalled. The Lawrence line was abandoned because of the land slide in First street, although local division cars ran as far as the blockade. The Lawrence division pushed no cars through, however, and the service was therefore suspended.

A car went off the rail at Stevens street, but service was maintained by operating a shuttle car between that point and Chelmsford Centre. All two-motor cars were sent to the barns in the forenoon as they were utterly unable to make progress. One small plow stalled in Central street at 9 o'clock and before it could be towed out of the way a half-hour had passed and a string of cars and plows extended from Tower's Corner to Prescott street.

At noon trolley lines were going out of commission in rapid succession. No cars were running on the Chelmsford street, Lakeview avenue, Varnum avenue, Hovey square, Moody street, Broadway, High street or Reading routes, while others were in grave danger of bowing to the elements within an hour.

The high velocity of the wind seemed to increase during the early afternoon and policemen and street railway men in Merrimack square could not recall a storm of such fierceness. It was almost impossible to walk in the teeth of it and the city is practically stagnated.

Christian III's cars could not make the Third street hill and Andover street threatened to become snowed under any minute. The company did not attempt to operate upon a schedule, but co-ordinated all its efforts to keep the rails within the city limits open.

There was no telling when steam trains would appear either from Boston or the north. The 2.01, south-bound, pulled in an hour late and the 9 o'clock express from Boston was 35 minutes behind time. Freight movement was reduced to a minimum and all the work accomplished on clearing side tracks and switches during the past few days was obliterated.

No freight moved over the New Haven lines into Lowell today and the last word on passenger service was to the effect that the 5.15 to South Framingham would be cancelled. The 5.37 from Concord Junction this morning got in at 10.05, the crew reporting great drifts and had travel all along the road.

Pedestrian travel in the city was a hard task in the face of a biting wind. It was impossible to see in many instances and nobody ventured out of doors unless compelled to by business.

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## BUSINESS AT STANDSTILL IN CONNECTICUT

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 6.—Business and transportation was almost at a standstill throughout southern Connecticut today, because of the blizzard which swooped down from the north in the wake of a rain storm which, in itself, was a disturbance of considerable size. Scarcely a train moved out of the local station of the N.Y., N.H. & H. R.R. during the forenoon.

On branch lines, no trains were operated and there was little prospect of any for the day.

An operating official described the trouble as "the wickedest storm this winter." Many trains were being held here as the dispatchers did not dare let them start for their destinations as messages received from various parts of the system told of huge snow drifts and a wind of high velocity.

Precautions were being taken to prevent any trains getting lost. A freight wreck late last night at Woodmont did much to disarrange the early morning train schedules on the lines west of here, and operating had not become normal before the blizzard broke.

## PROHIBITION CASE

Right To Arrest on Suspicion  
To Be Decided

BOSTON, March 6.—Max Wallace, who gave his address as Clark's hotel, was arrested yesterday charged with possessing and transporting liquor unlawfully. He was arraigned before United States Commissioner Hayes and held in \$500 for a hearing on March 10.

The hearing will, it is expected, bring out the right of a policeman to arrest on suspicion a person carrying a bag and later charging him with violating the prohibition law when it is found that he has liquor on his person or in the bag.

Special Officer John A. Sullivan of station 1 made the arrest and is alleged to have stopped Wallace on Avery street, demanding to know what was in the suitcase carried by the defendant. Wallace stated that he had old clothes in the bag, but the officer doubted him and took the bag and defendant to the station. When the bag was opened it is alleged to have contained nine quarts of whiskey.

After hearing several witnesses the commissioner put the case over until the 10th, so as to get more evidence on what promises to be an interesting case. Herbert Callahan is defending Wallace and stated that the officer grabbed the suit case from his client, while on the other hand the officer declared that Wallace handed him the suit case after they had started toward the station.

## LEADS VIRGINIA WOMEN AGAINST H.C.L.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 6.—Mrs. Woodson T. Wills, president of the West Virginia Federation of Women's clubs, is lining up the club forces of the state for the fight on the high living costs. As soon as



MRS. WOODSON T. WILLS

Governor Cornwell suggested such a proposition to her, she communicated with every club president in the state asking them to attend the state meeting. It was impossible to see in many instances and nobody ventured out of doors unless compelled to by business.

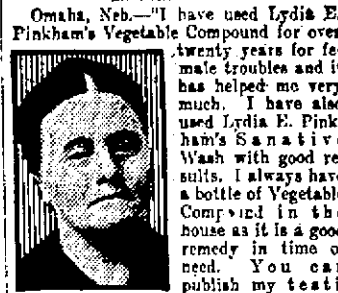
"It is up to the West Virginia club women to take up this vital issue and get behind the fight in the way that has been outlined by Edith Strauss. I strongly favor the boycott method of bringing down prices," says Mrs. Wills.

## MATRIMONIAL

The marriage of Mr. Robert A. Henderson and Miss Annie E. Erickson took place March 3 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Erickson, 55 Bowdoin street. The bridesmaid was Miss Beatrice Erickson of Beverly, a cousin of the bride, while the best man was Mr. Martin Ellason.

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## 60 Mile Gale Hits N. Y.

Continued

ters soon were turned into miniature mill races, sewers were clogged, cellars were flooded, small streams in the outlying sections overflowed their banks, roads were washed out and high tides contribute to damage along the waterfront. Thousands of emergency calls were received by the water department.

The sheet made a successful attack on the transportation system. Service on nearly all the trolley lines in Manhattan and on some of the elevated lines was crippled. The drifting snow later added to the difficulty, and, even with motor plows, it was difficult to keep traffic moving.

Ferry transportation was impeded and trains into the railway terminals were reported to be considerably behind their schedules.

The rising wind whistled through the canyons of narrow streets in the skyscraper district, making walking well high impossible. It unobscured signs, toppled over chimneys here and there and smashed great plate glass windows in the fashionable shops along Fifth avenue causing thousands of dollars damage. Costly oil paintings displayed in the windows of the Ehrlich galleries were slightly damaged by the falling glass. Some of the paintings were over 200 years old and had been displayed at the Royal Academy in London. The telephone and telegraph companies reported that wire communication out of the city was badly crippled.

## NOT A CAR MOVING

One of Worst Storms in  
Years Causes Complete  
Tieup in Barre, Vt.

BARRE, Vt., March 6.—One of the worst snow storms recorded in years has caused a complete tieup in this city. Since 10 o'clock last night following closely a day of rain, over 13 inches has fallen making travel to pedestrians anything but pleasant.

Snow plows drawn by two horses this morning were seriously handicapped by the slushy conditions and several plows were broken. The street car line connecting this city with Montpelier was forced to suspend service and not a car is moving. The local Washington street car is snowed in at City square. Not a train has arrived here since last night, and it is doubtful if service will be restored today.

Granite manufacturing plants did not start this morning owing to the effects of the blizzard. At the local post office rural carriers did not attempt their usual delivery, and there being no mail received, the city carriers found little to do. Coupled with the heavy fall of snow is a strong wind and farmers bringing their mail to this city for shipment to Boston were unable to make the trip today because of the drifted conditions of the roads. There seems to be no let up in sight.

### Burlington Snow Bound

BURLINGTON, Vt., March 6.—With a driving blizzard, which started last evening, bringing with it much snow and rain Burlington is today experiencing the worst storm of the year. Trolley service is demoralized, the tracks in some of the outlying districts being buried under many feet of snow.

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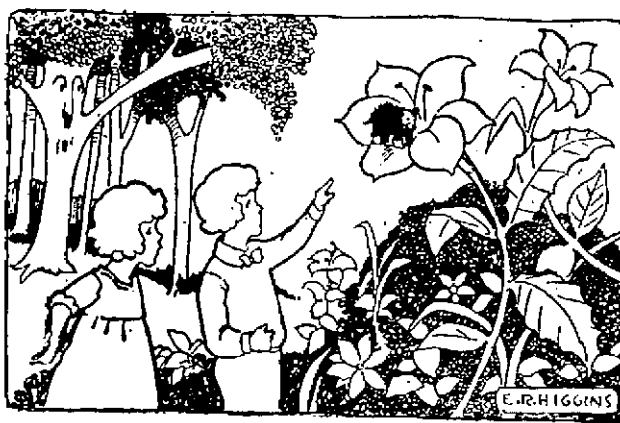
NEW YORK—Hats off to Geo. C. Kelly, a real non-profitting landlord. He is the owner of a seven-family apartment house, and in the face of the H. C. of L. has refused to boost the rents of his tenants. Lately said tenants held a meeting and voted to increase their rents voluntarily. When Kelly heard it he set to work having electricity put in throughout the building. "Live and let live," is his motto. Above picture shows Kelly with a couple of youngsters who live in his apartment building.

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### THE BORROWED SHOES

Now, of course, the Green Shoes would never have fitted the bear if they had been—just shoes. But being magical they would have fitted the elephant himself. I'm sure, if he'd had a mind to wear them.  
There sat the bear with his toes stuck out, waiting—for Nancy and Nick were hesitating a little about taking them off. What would happen if they lost them? They'd never find Joke, perhaps! But the poor old bear hear did at once.  
Suddenly he got so small the twins almost needed a spyglass to see him at all. He looked like a wee brown bug crawling along.  
"Now what shall I do?" he squeaked up at them. "I can't fly."  
"Wish yourself inside those flowers up there, if you want honey," commanded Nick, pointing to the top of a sweet-smelling vine. "That's honey-suckle. You'll get all you want."  
The bear must have wished just then.



In another second they saw him, Green Shoes and all, crawling into a blossom at the top of the vine.

did want his honey so, and he looked so expectant, they hadn't the heart to disappoint him.  
"You put yours on his fore feet," decided Nick, "and I'll put mine on the hind," which they did. In a few minutes the bear stood up and stamped around proudly.  
"Now, what shall I do," he asked, "if I want to get little enough to crawl into a flower?"  
"Say, 'Please, Green Shoes, make me little,'" explained Nancy. Which the bear instantly he disappeared, and in another second they saw him, Green Shoes and all, crawling into a blossom at the top of the vine.  
Then the Magical Mushroom stuck his head out of Nancy's pocket. "I were you children I'd get out from under. They say that whatever goes up must come down, and you never can tell just how or when." Then he popped in again.  
"I'll tell you the rest tomorrow." (Copyright, 1920, N.E.A.)

### ELECTRIC CAR BODIES MAKE GOOD CAMPS

David Ziskind & Co. are still purchasing and selling scrap iron and metal as well as second-hand machinery of every description, and in addition they are now selling electric car bodies, which were formerly used by the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Co. These car bodies can be used as camps or playhouses and are just the things for the kiddies if a suitable corner can be found for them in the back yard. For further particulars concerning these small houses, telephone 2241-W or call in person at the company's office, 137 Cambridge Street.

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### Bond Drive Over the Top

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kept open next week for "clean-up" work incidental to so large an undertaking. Subscriptions will be received until a week from tomorrow, but as far as raising the city's quota goes, the drive ended last evening.  
By closing the campaign at this time the local committee established the record of being the first community in the state to reach its quota. As soon as it was learned that the city had gone over the top the following telegram was sent Damon de Valera, provisional president of the Irish republic:  
"Lowell has gone over the top. We

### "RULE OF THREE" COSTS GOVERNMENT MILLION

TACOMA, Wash., March 6.—Henry Hewitt, Jr., Tacoma multi-millionaire lumber baron of the Pacific Northwest and California, during his prime enunciated this as his secret of success, according to fellow pioneers:  
"I hold to the rule of three—always by the rule of three I mean: Two for me and one for the other fellow. Remember that. Always hold to this rule and you'll never go hungry."  
Not long ago Hewitt the 78-year-old multi-millionaire died, and the state of Washington as well as a number



Henry Hewitt, Jr.

of his old cronies were given opportunity to study more closely how his "rule of three" worked out.  
The state may lose approximately \$1,250,000 as inheritance tax because Henry Hewitt transferred all but \$23,000 of his \$25,000,000 fortune to a corporation two weeks before his death. If the state can't successfully bring a counter maneuver, Hewitt's "rule of three" will cost taxpayers 1.25 million more this year than they would otherwise have had to pay.  
The federal government would have received \$1,000,000 to pay interest on Liberty bonds if Hewitt hadn't rushed his property into the hands of a holding company managed by his heirs.  
Also—two suits approximating \$5,000,000 have been filed against Hewitt's heirs on allegation that the multi-millionaire during the days when he was just beginning to succeed under his "rule of three," "forgot" to make good on contracts for half interest in some of his biggest projects.

### HAVE HARVEY DO YOUR CATERING

Whenever Harvey's name is mentioned in connection with a banquet it means that substantial and appetizing food is going to be served, while the best of service will be supplied. Harvey, Lowell's caterer, knows his business thoroughly and has served the public of this city and surrounding towns for so long that he knows just what is expected of him and his aim is to add new names to his already long list of satisfied customers. His place of business is at 1024 Central Street and his telephone number is 1375.

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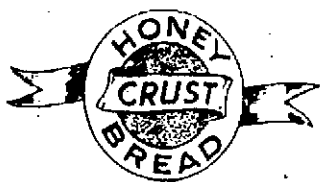
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## Reign of Terror

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age. The French retaliated by burning the house of the instigators of the plan to burn the orphanage. There is no news of reinforcements. I fear other cities and towns are besieged and help may not reach us.

"Feb. 3—Surely nobody in the outside world realizes the seriousness of our situation or an airplane from Beirut would drop a message of cheer. Bullets continue to enter the American buildings, and we have all had narrow escapes. The French horses and mules are slowly starving. They will have to be killed to feed the hungry multitudes. The French are living in hopes that help will come.

**More Stories of Massacres**  
"Feb. 4—This has been a tragic day, stories of fresh massacres reaching us. We are resolved to stay here at all hazards. God help the Armenians

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"Feb. 5—Turkish officials held prisoners by the French asked for an interview today. They sought our aid to obtain their release, promising to try to persuade the Turks to make peace terms, but the general would not release them. The French decided to kill the horses and mules as there is no forage for them. We had a little roast today and liked it. It is better than horse meat.

"Feb. 6—This is the 15th day of the siege of Marash. We had a joyful surprise. An airplane flew over the city, dropping several messages, which a high wind carried into the Turkish part of the city. But we knew help was near; we were not forgotten. More victims today for the operating table; more graves in the cemetery. I hope help will come before all the Armenians have to pay the awful price of this needless war.

"Feb. 7—At last reinforcements are in sight. Already they are fighting their way into the city. Guns in the planes are shelling the hills, over which the scouts expect to reach the barracks. We hear today that 30 girls, inmates of a rescue home, have been killed by the Turks, who afterward fired the building. And we had to stand by without being able to lift a hand.

"Feb. 8—French troops are in the

## OLDEST FRAME HOUSE WEST OF MISSOURI

Christians From All Over World Will Go To Hawaii To View These  
Missionary Relics at Coming Church Centennial



HONOLULU, H. T., March 4.—Above left is the missionary museum in Honolulu, first frame building west of the Missouri river. It was shipped in sections from Boston around the Horn in 1821. The "Coral House" (right) was the earliest printing establishment erected west of the Missouri and contained a press brought to Honolulu in 1820 by missionaries. Below is the first Christian church built on the islands and used in the early days as a royal worshipping place. The church will be 100 years old in April, when thousands of Christian tourists, will gather to celebrate the centennial anniversary of the landing of the missionaries in Hawaii.



## "Jits" in Place of Trolleys on Broadway

NEW YORK, March 6.—Substitution of motor busses for trolleys on Broadway is favored by the Broadway association composed of stores situated on New York's famous thoroughfare. A referendum ballot announced today showed that 77 per cent. of its members favored the change.

## Egypt Faces Big Food Shortage

LONDON, March 6.—Egypt is threatened with a serious food shortage, the Exchange Telegraph correspondent at Cairo reports in a despatch received today. The handling of supplies has again been placed by the food department in the hands of a board of control. The censorship, the correspondent adds, has been restored.

## Hobo Now an Extinct Character

NEW YORK, March 6.—The hobo, whose labor was sought by farmers at harvest time, is now an extinct character in America, according to the American land service, which supplies seasonal workers from the city for farm work during the slack seasons.

Prosperity, prohibition and even the war time "work or fight" order are attributed by farmers as causes for the disappearance of the "weary Willie."

valley, their guns shelling the hills. But it may be days before they can encircle the city. Wounded continue to come in and there are many deaths daily. We spent the afternoon watching the battle in the plain from the upper college windows. We saw French relieving troops finally effect a connection with French forces in the barracks.

"Hope for Best, Fear Worst"  
"Feb. 9—Gen. Querette informed us today that he has orders to evacuate the city at midnight. This news caused wild alarm among the women and children, who are crazed with fear. We urged Gen. Querette to delay evacuation. He said he would try to secure a delay of 24 hours. If the French evacuate we are not sure what treatment we will receive at the hands of the Turks. We shall remain at our posts, however, and do what we can to shield the Armenians and protect American interests. We hope for the best, but many fear the worst.

"Feb. 10—Gen. Querette has been granted a 24-hour delay before leaving the city. Armenians in the compound are frantic. They are determined to leave the city with the French, as they fear massacre. Our greatest fear is for Miss Buckley. Miss Francis S. Buckley of Cape Vincent, N. Y. She was in the Beshalan orphanage and has not been heard from since the beginning of the siege.

"We are filling out the refugees for a journey, giving them food and clothing to the extent permitted by our limited supplies. Many orphan boys and girls will leave with the exiles. Dr. Wilson and Mrs. Wilson of Boston, Tenn., will remain, as will all the missionaries, Dr. Elliott (Mabel C. Elliott of Benton Harbor, Mich.), Miss Schultz, Miss Powers (Mabel H. Powers of North Hero, Vermont) and Miss Dougherty (Minnie E. Dougherty of Holyoke, Mass.) will leave with the troops.

"I had decided to stay, but as 2000 or 3000 persons are going as sheep without a shepherd, Dr. Wilson thinks I had better go with them to take charge and endeavor to find food and shelter at their destination. It is a hard trek of nearly 15 miles over mountain and plain. I fear many will not be equal to it. Troops and refugees left the city between 8 and 9 tonight. The general and his staff left at 10.30. It was bitterly cold, the city was in flames and the guns were booming over the hills covering our retreat.

**Evacuated Barracks Abandoned**  
"Feb. 11—As the column moved

The story was told briefly in one vote. When the senate rejected the treaty last November reservation five was adopted with the aid of only nine democratic votes. When that reservation was re-voted on Tuesday, it got 15 democratic votes. Others were adopted at a big increase, but the 5th—dealing with the Monroe Doctrine—was overwhelming. It has been whispered here that one reason why the president threatened to withdraw the treaty—unless the Italian situation was cleared up to his satisfaction, was to secure a reason for its withdrawal from the senate, on other grounds than a defeat by vote. That, however, of course cannot be verified. Not the slightest intimation is given as to the president's probable course. In case the senate sends the treaty back to him without its approval or approved with the lodge reservations, it is very generally accepted that in either case he would pocket it, but Mr. Wilson remains in seclusion, not even seeing Senator Hitchcock, who is in charge of the administration forces in the senate. Mr. Hitchcock is in a pretty trying position. He comes up for re-election in Nebraska this fall. He has the open enmity and opposition of Bryan, and should he fall under presidential displeasure, by his failure to land the democratic vote according to presidential wishes, he would be left without organized support for re-election. He is doing his best—but it bids fair to fall short.

**High Price of Cotton Yarn**  
Congressman Tilson of Connecticut struck a high note in the minds of the interstate commerce commission. When he gathered facts regarding the rapid rise in the price of cotton yarn, which has resulted in the price of cotton hose and underwear mounting skyward. The committee gave Mr. Tilson a special hearing a few days ago, on the bill he has introduced asking that the federal trade commission be called upon to investigate the profiteering which he has reason to believe exists. The facts gathered by Mr. Tilson were so startling that the committee ordered a favorable report in his bill without leaving the room, and moreover, thanked him for bringing the matter to their attention and in such complete form. Congressman Sims, democratic former chairman of the committee remarked that Mr. Tilson had rendered a great public service by his investigation and informal report.

Mr. Tilson found the price of cotton yarn had, in some instances, risen more than one hundred per cent in six months, and that southern cotton yarn plants were reaping a harvest of high dividends almost beyond belief. Tilson stated that unless the profiteering could be stopped the price of hosiery and underwear would be tremendously increased by the time the fall trade begins, according to statements of experts.

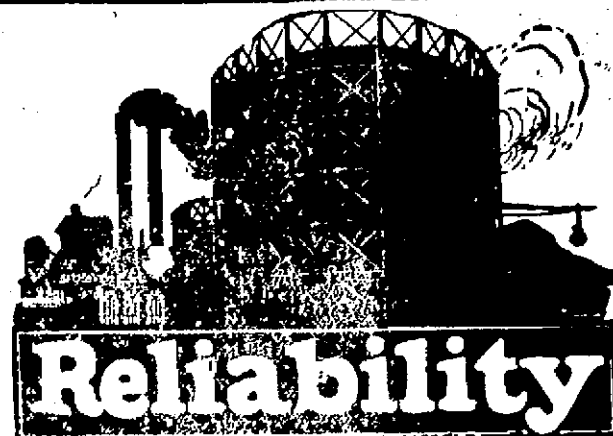
**Matrimonial Matters**

The clerk of the "marriage license" bureau declares he is not running a matrimonial agency for lonely widows and disabled soldiers, but all Washington is referring to him as "Dan Cupid." Whether or not last year he has anything to do with it is a matter for each to determine for himself, but the license clerk is overwhelmed with letters from persons asking his help in finding a mate. Col. Knoll—that is his name—thought he had done very well when he replied in a "lonely widow" who wrote him, asking help in locating a prospective husband by making the request public, but now he wishes he hadn't. The each day fills up his mail with similar requests. Then

## Will Senate Reject Colby?

Continued

the treaty at an early date unless the unexpected happens. The 11 irreconcilables hold its fate in their hands, and probably will act as a unit for defeat when the proper time arrives. At present they content themselves in protesting the treaty by resolutions. In case administration democrats desert the president in pertinent number to carry it through.



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too, men have begun to ask help; a Round Robin from 13 soldiers was the last straw. Most of the women describe themselves as amiable, attractive and about 35 years old. The men don't tell their age—but thus far each has declared himself to be "good looking."

**For Smith College**

"Take off your hat to Smith—Put on a hat for Smith!"  
A private sale of Filipino hats is likely to swell the four million dollar fund for Smith College, and be credited to the class of 1905. Mrs. John C. Tilson, of New Haven, wife of Congressman Tilson of the third Connecticut district was Smith 1905, and she wants to add more to the fund than her private purse will allow. So Mrs. Tilson sent out cards to Smith alumni and to social and official Washington for a tea and hat sale at her home here on Wednesday afternoon, when she was assisted by Madame DeVeyra, wife of the Philippine commissioner in exhibiting the hats, and also by an informal talk on how they were made, illustrated by lantern slides operated by the distinguished commissioner himself. The hats are similar to the Panama hats and Mrs. Tilson arranged with Mrs. DeVeyra, who is a neighbor and close personal friend, that if the supply on hand was not sufficient a cable to the Philippines would meet with quick response.

**Senator Walsh**

Senator Walsh has been in Massa-

chusetts most of the past week, on account of the recent death of his sister in Clinton. Had he been in the senate when the vote on the 5th reservation was taken, undoubtedly his vote would have been cast in favor of keeping the Monroe Doctrine entirely within the jurisdiction of the United States.

**Congressman Rogers**

Congressman Rogers has been especially interested this week in the effort to secure a wider scope for vocational education as applied to returned soldiers, who are crippled to a degree that prevents their advancement, but does not prevent them from taking up the work as they left it before fighting overseas. He believes that loss of advantage to "do better" constitutes a disability which should be taken into consideration by congress. Congressman Allan T. Treadway, has been elected president of the Massachusetts State Society in Washington and this week presided at its meeting for the first time. Louis H. Warner, former secretary to Senator John W. Weeks, is vice president. Albert Machand, treasurer, Miss Evelyn Hope, secretary. Uncle Joe Cannon, was the principal speaker at the meeting this week, and boasted that "although 54 I am as spry as a chicken." Moreover Uncle Joe, with the ever present cigar tilted at its usual 45 degree angle, offered to give a demonstration of up-to-date dancing, if the society wanted him to.

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## On and Off the Stage

## Intimate Stories of Stars

## Closeups With the Movies



ARTHUR SULLIVAN

Appearing with Ricca Scott at the B.F. Keith Theatre, Next Week, in "A Drawing From Life"

## TOM MOORE IN "THE GAY LORD QUEX" AT THE STRAND

## OTHER ATTRACTIONS

Another one of those all-star programs, the kind that Boston and New York patrons pay \$1.50 prices to see, the coming week, and at usual Strand prices. Playgoers of Lowell should appreciate what exceptional bills the management is securing for them each week. Look them over and then compare them with those offered in the metropolis and other big centers. You'll find them the very same, and at the prevailing local prices.

For the coming week, Tom Moore in "The Gay Lord Quex" and Tom Mix in "The Feud" will be shown in the first half of the week, and during the last three days, Handsome Madeline Travers in "What Would You Do?" and the fascinating May Allison in "Walk-Offs." Besides these there will be the usual musical number and comedy and weekly features.

The sacred concert tomorrow will include the usual five acts of high class vaudeville and ten rods of pictures. Don't miss this bill, for it's not only the newest but the biggest and best in town.

Many screen actors who are fond of doing stunts can stop a runaway horse by running along with the animal and leaning on its back—a matter comparatively simple for an expert horseman. But Tom Mix in "Walk-Offs" is the first to attempt this feat.

In the denouement of the scenario, Mix to the back of the horse, and then permit the horse to throw him off while the animal is galloping at full speed. This stunt is called for by an episode in the action in which Mix saves the life of enemy feudists by stopping the runaway horse, but is thrown from the animal and rendered unconscious.

This paves the way to others to discover a letter around his neck which he carries in a portrait of the daughter of the enemy. Eva Novak plays the role of the girl whose picture is found in the letter. Others in the strong supporting cast include Claire McDowell, J. Arthur Mack, John Gosar, Mollie O'Connell and others of equal note.

Many screen actors whose family is actively engaged in an ancient feud with the Summers family. The heritage of hate does not prevent Jerry from loving Betty Summers, but it does lead to dramatic complications in which the feud breaks out with renewed intensity. It's a great picture, filled with vigor and action, and with Mix the center of it all.

"The Gay Lord Quex," from the noted stage success by Sir Arthur Wing Pinero, presents Tom Moore in the leading role in this new Goldwyn picture. Moore is seen as the type of warrior that popular opinion has named its favorite. His adventures in cupids' realm are frequent and merriest just spicy enough to bring out the humorous side of his entanglements when his several sweethearts are brought together. The action of the picture is quick and spirited and so well does the star enact his part

that sympathy swings wholly to Lord Quex when he gets into difficulties. He has an agonizing time trying to prove his sincerity and reformation to his troubled bride in the face of most accusing circumstances, but his efforts are finally rewarded. Gloria Hope and Naomi Childers support the star.

"What Would You Do?" This is the significant title of the new William Fox production, which will be shown during the last three days of the week with Madeline Travers in the starring role. The story has to do with an exclusive set in New York society. It tells of intrigue, false accusation, faithlessness, and the agony of a woman who suffers for another's wrong. The cast includes Cordelia Callahan, George McDaniels, Frank Elliott, Charles K. French and others. The other big attraction for the week end will be the introduction of May Allison in the screen version of "Walk-Offs," in which the star is seen in an entirely new and most fascinating role. The story is unusually interesting, the characters true to life, and the interpretation of the main theme by the star and supporting cast of unusual merit. The photography and scenic effects contribute to the enjoyableness of the play.

Besides the above there will be the usual comedy and Universal Weekly, as well as new and pleasing musical numbers by Miss Elsie Robbins, head organist and soloist of the theatre.

## FINE PROGRAM OF FEATURES AT THE MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE SUNDAY SHOW

Ethel Clayton in "Maggie Pepper" and Little Gloria Jay in "Wanted—A Brother," are the feature attractions booked for the sacred Sunday concert. The Merrimack Square theatre tomorrow afternoon and evening. The usual excellent surrounding program will be presented.

For the coming week Manager Nelson has arranged an exceptionally fine program of features. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, for instance, will bring Norma Talmadge in "The Isle of Conquest" and Francesca Billington, a new but capable star, in "The Day She Paid." Thursday, Friday and Saturday's features will be Blaise Ferguson in "His House in Order" and Robert Warwick in "Jack Straws."

Norma Talmadge is at first glance just a vivacious, beautiful, talented American girl, like dozens of other pretty young women, but to the discerning observer her intensity is her distinguishing characteristic. Back of those dark shimmering eyes and that blood-red sensitive mouth is a girl of big generous qualities, strong, ambitious and true artistic sense. All these qualities find full play in "The Isle of Conquest" in which she appears during the first half of the week. The story of the play is most interesting.

Ethel Harmon (Miss Talmadge) is the daughter of a society woman whose financial condition is none too

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## FUNNY CHARLIE AHEARN AT B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE NEXT WEEK

Th. Maryland Singers, who have greatly interested audiences during the present week, will be the feature attraction at the B. F. Keith theatre, tomorrow afternoon and evening. They will give their wholly delightful program. The four singers are assisted by Charles Frink, banjoist of note. The work of O. Henry, Mr. Sullivan and Miss Scott are admirable in their acting.

Charlie Ahearn, who has topped many a bill, will be the extra feature this coming week, appearing in his celebrated tramp character, with his own comedy company. "At the High Life Cabaret," is the title of the act, and it is one which has fun, music and dancing, not to mention some novelties that will be readily noted. Ahearn is a member of a family which has for long been known in vaudeville. The members have all had a slant for theatricals of one sort or another, and all have made good. None has scored more emphatically than the one who is here next week.

Will Oakland, who has sung the old songs in a manner that has held the attention of millions of people, will be the second feature on the bill. Oakland does not need to be introduced in reality just now, as he is sufficient to announce what may be expected. He will give several of the older numbers, and also some that are not so old. His contra tenor voice is still as sweet and as soaring as ever.

"A drawing from life" will be acted by Arthur Sullivan and Ricca Scott. It is said to be an exceedingly interesting one-act play, dealing with a very serious moment in a light way. Dan Kusell is the author of it, and there are those who liken its treatment to the work of O. Henry. Mr. Sullivan and Miss Scott are admirable in their acting.

"Musical Moments" will be granted by the Transfield Sisters, two beautiful young women, who have and sing voices and who are also splendid musicians. They play several different kinds of instruments. Stanley and Birnes are comedians, and they call their skit "After the Gals." Swar and Westbrook speak of themselves as "black and tan" comedians, and Fleckert and Schofield mix up juggling and tumbling in addition to their work in the Kingrams, the Topics of the Day, and a Bruce Scenic.

Mary Pickford opens at the B. F. Keith Monday in her big-guest success.

Mary Pickford and others take date on Mary Pickford. They returned to the "Owl" last September when "Our Mary" came to them in her first personal venture and left created a "Buddy Long Legs." Now she actually outshines herself by being stronger in her second production, filmed under her own direction, and the public and critics say bigger and better than "Buddy Long Legs" is the "Hoodlum," to be screened at the Owl, starting Monday next. This is no disparaging fact, that genius left to work its own salvation will produce the best results, and this is very true in the case of "The Hoodlum." When Mary put that story on the screen, with

herself as the central figure, she was not fettered by any combination of other "stars." She gave her best and it is her best she brings to "The Owl" next Monday. The story, taken from the well known novel "Burkess Amy," abounds in situations such as her admirers like. It is the unsophisticated, spoiled darling of a hotting grandfather and whereas in her heart she retains her youthful ideas, (trills and dewdrops of the most innocent character) she sees the serious side of life and like in "Buddy Long Legs," she finds her fate in the person of her hero and the story ends in wedded bliss. Children laughed in "Buddy Long Legs." Adults will see how life will bring happiness, doubly concentrated after a spell of gloom and disappointments. There is but one verdict of "The Hoodlum." It is "the greatest" one Mary has presented to her friends and admirers.

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## AMERICAN BUSINESS MEN PUTTING WINGS ON AWAKENING "DRAGON"



R. S. Parker, Ethel B. Brett, W. D. Banner

N.E.A. Special to The Sun.  
SHANGHAI, March 6.—American business interests are giving the "Dragon" wings.

In the establishment here of a commercial airplane service to operate between Hongkong and this city along the China coast, the far east sees a determined and important venture by Americans to get their share of Asia's trade riches by novel methods.

Capitalized at over \$2,500,000, and with 13 pilots for a plane fleet eventually to number 150, the syndicate, headed by C. E. W. Ricau, plans to begin operations with a fast mail service between the important China coast cities.

Present plans contemplate a three-year period of expansion and foundation work toward making the airplane an indispensable adjunct to trade development.

Slow and inadequate transportation has hitherto proven a serious handicap to American commercial penetration in the Orient. The winged carrier will help materially in overcoming this.

and will, it is confidently expected, drive a flying wedge of Americanism through obstructions other nations have reared in attempting to sew up Chinese commerce for themselves.

Fardness in receiving mail has been one of the chief complaints by Americans here. The new air service promises to cut deliveries between Hongkong and Shanghai from seven days to three days, with branch line service to other ports. Later Manila may be included in the schedule.

Seventeen of the American pilots who will launch the service are former United States navy fliers, and one is a woman, Miss Ethel Bowman Brett.

**America's Flying Trade Wedge**  
It is an odd circumstance that China, while feeling that in Shanghai she has sustained one of the heaviest war losses, is first to profit commercially by progress of aviation due to the war. The three fliers here pictured are among the 13 American pilots who will guide one of the biggest commercial ventures ever hooked to wings.

## Bolsheviki in New Attack on Finland

LONDON, March 6.—The Bolsheviks have begun a new attack on Finland, the Central News correspondent at Helsingfors reports. After a heavy artillery bombardment on Wednesday, they attacked the Finnish positions at Sutjervi.

## Jail and Community

Continued

offenders are placed on probation providing they show the slightest signs of reformation or repentance. This has served to lessen the number of people brought to jails and houses of correction.

"There has been a complete change in the manner of handling law-breakers and the running of jails in the past 25 years," Mr. Eveleth said as a Sun reporter sat in his office talking over the history of the jail and its present status. "I can show you some of the old records which indicate that ten and twelve people were brought to this jail day after day to serve sentences for some slight offences of which they had been convicted in police court. In most cases they were first offenders. If they were fined \$2 and were unable to pay it, they stayed here in jail for eight days and 'worked out' their sentence."

"Today and in recent years, for that matter, it is a different story. The probation system has given many offenders another chance and prevented them being stalked with a jail record just because of some minor offense. But I don't think that prohibition has closed or will close our jails; I can't believe that the millennium is at hand yet."

"In the interests of economy and wise management, the county commissioners voted last summer to have the prisoners who were then in this building transferred to Cambridge. At the Cambridge jail a prosperous and profitable brick and meat business is conducted, netting a large profit to the county. It stands to reason that the more prisoners who work at the jail there, the greater production and consequent profit will be possible. That was one of the chief reasons for transferring prisoners from Lowell to Cambridge."

"So far the experiment, for that's all it was, has proven successful. We have done away with a lot of overhead expenses in this building, such as heating, the wages of a night attendant, cooking, etc., since the transfer was made, but the jail is not closed by any means, as many people believe."

### Jail Not Closed

"We are open just as much now as ever except that we do not keep permanent prisoners here. People who are sentenced to jail in the police court in the morning are brought up here and kept until afternoon when they are sent to Cambridge. We have to feed them at noon."

"In addition, a building of the size and character of this structure must be given care or it will very rapidly deteriorate. It won't take care of itself. If we were to lock the door and go away and leave the building heathens and unattended for one winter, the interior of the building would not be recognizable the next spring. Plaster on the walls would soon crack and decay very rapidly set in. There is \$300,000 worth of property here with some five acres of land and it takes the four of us who are still here going at a pretty rapid pace to do all the odd jobs that must be done to keep the place looking properly."

Mr. Eveleth is also a firm believer in the psychological effect of the presence of a jail in the community. He says that it is one of the most powerful deterrents to crime known.

"Many times during the summer I have sat here," he said, "and seen whole families of foreigners come in front of the building, look it all over

## Opera House

Lowell Players

THE SINGING SUCCESS OF TWO CONTINENTS

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and talk about it among themselves for 15 or 20 minutes. It has impressed them and the chances are they will want to steer clear of anything that will lead to their own incarceration in a building of this nature."

"We've been pretty fortunate in Lowell in the past few years and since the close of the war, especially, in not having more labor trouble than we have had. I think Supt. Welch of the police department or any other authorities of the department will bear me out in this statement. We have had no outbreak of socialism or radicalism such as neighboring cities have suffered from. We have had no labor riots. But who is there who can say when such a riot will break out? The public is entitled to some protection against such an eventuality and I believe that a jail is one of the surest safeguards against crime in any community."

Mr. Eveleth said that the jail was built to serve the northern end of Middlesex county and at the present time there are some 200,000 people in this section. Were the jail to be closed entirely, these people would be deprived of one of their chief protective agencies.

Within an hour's notice the jail could be thrown open to receive several hundred prisoners, according to the keeper. Although there has been no heat kept in the men's section of the building this winter, there has been a small amount of steam kept circulating through the pipes in the women's section so that there would be a number of cells ready for immediate occupancy should a hurry call come.

### History of the Jail

The Lowell jail was built in 1855 and opened in 1856. The Cambridge jail is older than the one in Thorndike street, the latter being erected to take care of a large, growing and sometimes erring population in the northern end of Middlesex county. The county commissioners who held office at the time the Lowell jail was opened were Daniel S. Richardson, Leonard Huntress and John K. Going. The first keeper was John S. Keyes who served from the opening of the building until 1859.

He was followed by Charles Kimball who was keeper for the 20 years from 1859 to 1879. Then came Henry G. Cushing who served until 1899 and following him were A. S. Baker, Harry E. Shaw and Mr. Eveleth in the order named. Keeper Eveleth was appointed in 1902 on the death of Mr. Shaw and began his duties in January, 1910, thus having only recently rounded out his 10th anniversary as keeper.

There have been few changes in the building as originally constructed in 1855. Some 30 years ago a boiler house was added to the plant but beyond that the buildings were as they stand today. The largest number of prisoners to be lodged in the building at any one time has been 147. The daily average "attendance" during Mr. Eveleth's first year at the jail was 123. It has gradually decreased from that time until

today no prisoners are kept any length of time.

In fact, there have been few long term prisoners at the institution at any time in its career. It has been known as a jail for "short-timers," men and women who had but short sentences to serve, the Cambridge jail being reserved for those with long sentences.

Perhaps the most noted prisoner in the jail's history was Sarah E. Robinson, a Lowell woman who has since died. She was convicted many years ago of murdering her husband and was sentenced to the Lowell jail for life. However, she was transferred to the Cambridge jail before her death.

### CHELMSFORD CENTRE CHURCH

The members of the Ellis Men's club of the Chelmsford Centre Baptist church enjoyed a turkey supper Thursday evening. The affair, which was under the auspices of the members of the club whose surnames begin with the letters A, B, C or D, was held in the vestry of the church and was largely attended. The speaker of the evening was Henry J. Maguire of the Lowell postoffice, who returned recently from work in the postal department in France and Germany, and who interested his audience with a talk on some of his experiences abroad.

### DOES YOUR BACK ACHE?

If you are troubled with backaches. It is a lot that they are caused by weak kidneys; they don't perform their duties, and you should look out, as there is trouble brewing.

When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you suffer from backache, headache, dizzy spells, and it is more than likely to bring on rheumatism.

The urine is often cloudy, full of sediment, your sleep disturbed by being compelled to arise, one or more times during the night, because of the pain, irritation and abnormal condition of the kidneys and bladder.

If you will take from 10 to 20 drops of SEVEN BARKS in a little water after meals, you will correct the alkalinity of your secretions, thus giving you undisturbed sleep and peaceful rest, preparing you for your next day's duties.

When the kidneys are not doing their duty they allow impurities to accumulate and be converted into uric acid and other poisons, which will cause serious trouble unless they are driven from your system.

If you eat meat regularly, you should flush the kidneys occasionally with SEVEN BARKS, as meat forms uric acid which clogs the pores, so they can not throw off the poisons.

Don't neglect your kidney trouble with the first symptoms, you will be sorry if you do. Get SEVEN BARKS of your druggist, at a cost of only 60 cents.—Adv.

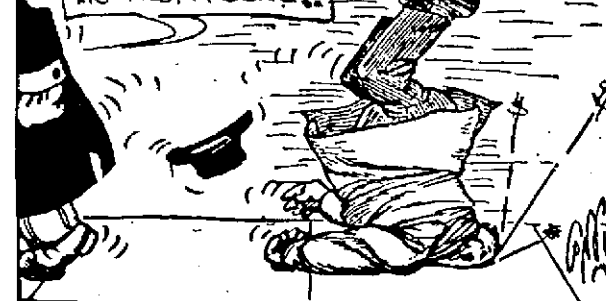
EVERETT TRUE

BY CONDO

AND THE UNREST IS DUE TO THE FACT THAT THE WAR ENDED TOO SOON! YES, SIR, I TELL YOU, EVERETT, WE OUGHT TO HAVE GONE RIGHT ON THROUGH TO BERLIN—



"WE!"  
IT GOT MY IBEX TO HEAR THAT KIND OF A NOISE COMING FROM A FELLOW WHO WAS NO NEARER THE FRONT THAN THE WALL STREET TRENCHES AND CLEANED UP HANDSOMELY IN THE CHARGE OF HIS PROFITORS!!

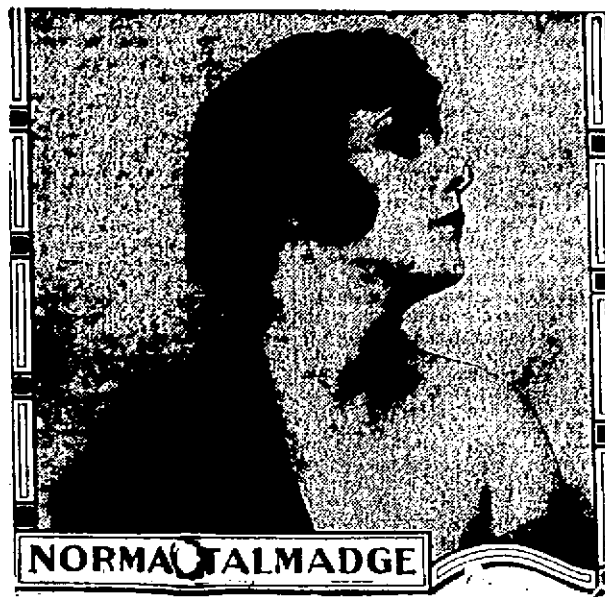


## MERRIMACK SQ. THEATRE

MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

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NORMA TALMADGE In "THE ISLE OF CONQUEST"



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Society in all its glamorous grandeur with colorful costumes, wondrous women and merry men. A play that will stir you up to a new enjoyment of living.

### ADDED FEATURES

Francelia Billington

MARIE WALCAMP

—IN—

—IN—

"THE DAY SHE PAID"

"Tempest Cody Kidnapped"

A new star in a new story

A "Spurs and Saddles" Feature

COMEDY—INTERNATIONAL NEWS—CHESTER OUTING

SUNDAY—Ethel Clayton in "Maggie Pepper"

Gloria Joy in "Wanted—a Brother"

## Storm Delays Opening of Stock Market

NEW YORK, March 6.—The stock exchange opened at 10 o'clock this morning, and then adjourned until 10.30, because of the absence of clerks and members who were delayed in reaching their offices by the storm. Similar action was taken by the curb and consolidated exchanges.

## Ludendorff On Way to Russia

LONDON, March 6.—General Ludendorff, erstwhile head of the German military system, has passed through Finnish territory on his way to Russia, according to a Helsingfors despatch to the Central News. The general was accompanied by a large staff, the message adds.

## Jewish Women in Palestine Granted Vote

NEW YORK, March 6.—Jewish women in Palestine have been granted the vote and will be eligible for election to the constituent assembly, according to a cable message received from London today, by the Zionist organization of America. The message from the international Zionist organization stated that the assembly would convene soon to formulate a constitution.



## PRESIDENT'S NIECE CLEVER IN POLITICS

ALBANY.—The democratic women's state convention held here may have been unofficial in name, but it was official enough in tactics and political strategy. Miss Margaret Vale (right), a niece of President Wilson, waged a vigorous fight against a nominee for delegate-at-large and succeeded in electing her candidate, Mrs. Clarice Baright (left.)



ELSIE FERGUSON in "HIS HOUSE IN ORDER"

AT THE MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

## Crown Theatre

MONDAY and TUESDAY

## Owen Moore

—IN—

"Picadilly Jim"

From the famous Saturday Evening Post story. A 100% plus comedy.

## GLADYS BROCKWELL

—IN—

## Chasing Rainbows

A gripping drama of life in a rough western town

## PEARL WHITE

—IN—

"Black Secret"

—COMEDY—

SUNDAY PROGRAM

## TOM MOORE

—IN—

"Thirty a Week"

Marian Davies,

"Getting Mary Married"

COMEDY—OTHERS

Do Not Forget—

500 Seats at All

Performances 10c



TOM MOORE in "The Gay Lord Quex"

COMING TO THE STRAND THEATRE



TOM MIX  
DIRECTION WILLIAM FOX—

Who Will Appear in His Latest Picture Success, "The Pond," at The Strand the First of the Week

## RECORD REGISTRATION LIVED FOR 8 DAYS WITH OF PASSENGER AUTOS BULLET IN HEART

BOSTON, March 6.—Statistics prepared yesterday by Frank A. Goodwin, state registrar of motor vehicles at the state house, show there has been a record registration of passenger cars for the year ending March 1, 1920.

On that date there were registered at the state house 114,750 passenger cars. At the corresponding time last year the number was 95,000, while on March 1, 1918 there were 68,450.

The 1920 figures are considered remarkable in view of the fact that many owners of automobiles by reason of the severe winter and the consequent difficulties of operating cars, elected to "put them up" for the winter and haven't yet registered for 1920.

There is every reason to suppose, in view of these facts, that the total registration this year will be in the vicinity of 175,000 and it wouldn't be at all surprising to Registrar Goodwin to see a registration of 200,000.

The number of motor trucks registered in the state up to March 1, this year, is 34,000; last year the figures were 29,000 and in 1918 the total registration was 21,775.

Intensified work is being done under the direction of Registrar Goodwin in the so-called "used car" department, organized not long ago primarily for the purpose of tracing stolen automobiles.

Massachusetts has taken the initiative in this work, and, already, according to Mr. Goodwin, splendid results are being attained in the restoration of stolen cars to their owners and to such an extent that it will not be long before every state in the country is following the Massachusetts system of recovering stolen automobiles and prosecuting thieves.

## PHASANTS AND PARTRIDGES "STEAL" GRAIN INTENDED FOR DEER AT FORT HILL PARK

John W. Kernan, superintendent of the park department, claims that pheasants and partridges have been feasting upon the grain and feed which has been set out in the runway for the deer at Fort Hill park. The man who feeds the deer noticed that shortly after he filled the grain trough most of it had disappeared. The next day he kept watch from some hidden place and saw many pheasants and partridges feasting on the feed put out for the deer. Mr. Kernan states that it is the first winter that these birds have come to Fort Hill in any numbers.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Thomas S. Hearley, 48 years old, died yesterday in Bellevue hospital after living eight days with a heavy-calibre bullet in his heart.

The man and his wife, Gertrude, were shot as they were passing the Sacred Heart church on Feb. 27. Two bullets entered Hearley's abdomen and one lodged in the pericardium, the muscular sac that surrounds the heart, operating surgeons, realizing that an operation would prove almost instantly fatal, kept the wounded man alive for eight days with stimulants.

With the aid of the X-ray, surgeons could see the bullet rising and falling with each beat of the patient's heart, but were powerless to remove it. Everything possible was done to save Hearley, but he grew gradually weaker until he died yesterday.

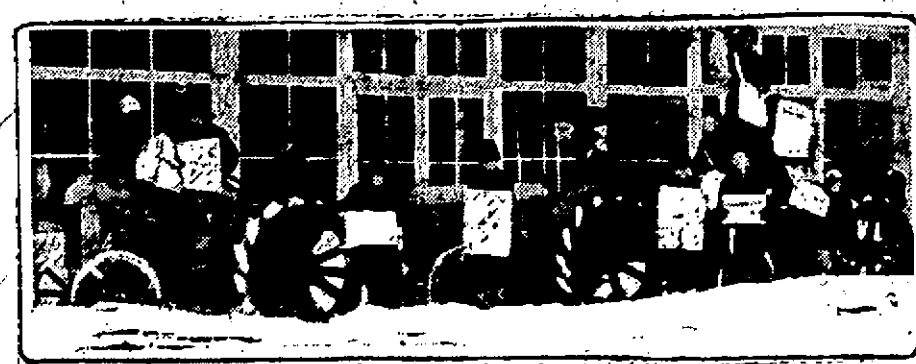
Bellevue surgeons consider his case one of the most remarkable in the history of New York surgery. Many soldiers have lived longer, and many survived entirely wounds of the heart, but as far as Bellevue surgeons know, none ever lived as long as Hearley with the outer sac completely punctured, and with the bullet following every heart beat.

Hearley had accused another man of being too friendly with his wife. A quarrel ensued and both husband and wife were shot.

## NEW ELECTRIC COMPANY ON MIDDLE STREET

The Prouty-Howe Electric company have opened a store at 28 Middle street where everything in the electrical line can be had at popular prices. Mr. J. E. Prouty and Mr. E. L. Howe, the members of the firm, have both over 22 years' experience in the electrical trade. Personal attention to all work is their intention. A specialty of installing private telephones, motors, pneumatic water-tank systems, farm lighting outfits and house wiring will be efficiently done by this firm. Lamps, washing machines, vacuum cleaners and many other electrical appliances will be found at this store.

According to figures compiled by the U. S. bureau of markets, 72,000,000 pounds of virgin wool were consumed by manufacturers in the United States in January compared with 35,200,000 pounds for the same month in 1919, and 65,100,000 pounds in January, 1918.



"IRON NEWS BOYS" BUCK SNOWS

"Iron news boys" were used in Salem, Oregon, for the first time in the United States during a recent snow storm to distribute a newspaper. Tractors with carriers astride the gasoline tanks negotiated the otherwise impassable drifts and before night fall, 90 per cent. of the subscribers had received their papers. Then the tractors broke trails to all parts of the city, hauled snow-plows along street car tracks making it possible to resume car operation, and revived traffic generally.

## EXHAUSTED CREW REACHES PORT

HALIFAX, N. S., March 6.—Exhausted by their struggle against mountainous seas, a biting blizzard and ice fields that balked attempts to make the port for which they were destined, the Spanish crew of the 132-ton schooner Terra Nova, from Seattle, Spain, for St. John's, N. F., reached Barrington passage on the southwest coast of Nova Scotia today. The schooner was drifting in a helpless condition when picked up by a small steamer and towed in.

## SALE OF RED CROSS SEAL STAMPS IN U. S. IN 1919 TOTALLED \$1,200,000

NEW YORK, March 6.—Sale of Red Cross seal stamps in this country in 1919 totalled \$1,200,000, according to reports received today at headquarters of the National Tuberculosis association. This is more than double the last previous sale in 1917.

The largest sales thus far recorded are: New Hampshire 14 cents per capita; Tennessee 9½ cents and Kentucky 7 cents.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The president received yesterday the resignation of Daniel C. Roper, commissioner of internal revenue. Mr. Roper asked to be relieved April 1 or as soon thereafter as a successor could be named.

## New Auto Tops For Old Ones

Your auto top can be repaired at small expense if you have not let it go too long. If it has been torn or is somewhat worn at the corners let us put it in shape for the coming season.

If the material in the top is badly worn or has become rotted we will put on a brand new top in first class factory style at a very reasonable price.

Bring your machine around now before the spring rush begins and let us give you estimates on repairing and putting on new auto tops.

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## Army Essay Contest

Continued

forwarded to the local army recruiting station, and that nine prizes for the best nine essays were offered by the chamber of commerce and downtown merchants. The subject of the essay was: "The Advantage of Enrollment in the United States Army."

Judging of the merits of the various essays took place last yesterday afternoon when a board of judges, consisting of Capt. Angell, commander of Lowell's big army recruiting party, Capt. Winfred C. MacBryne and Mr. Sturtevant, instructor in English at the high school met to pass upon the essays submitted.

The time and place at which the prizes will be awarded will be announced in this paper next week.

The names of the writers of the nine winning essays, each of whom will receive a prize, are as follows:

Thomas H. Quinn, Moody grammar school; Willis E. Wright, Lowell high school; Pearl Cronin, Pawtucket school; Paul Dunker, St. Michael's school; James W. Breckenridge, Abraham Lincoln school; Francis Campbell, St. Peter's school; Elizabeth Conway, St. Michael's school, and John F. Kenney of 282 Fletcher street.

The best three of these nine prize winning essays will be forwarded to Boston by Capt. Angell, and if found to be of sufficient merit, will then be sent to Washington where the winners of the national contests will be decided upon. The prizes for the three best essays submitted by school children throughout the country is a free trip to Washington and a handsome gold medal.

Following is the essay submitted by Frank Massey, which was voted the best received by the judges:

**The Winning Essay:**

Perhaps no greater change was worked by the World War than that which affected our views and attitude toward the army. Before the war a soldier was a man respected mostly because he protected us against invasion and internal disturbances. But there was little if any understanding between soldiers and civilians.

Happily, all that is changed. The keen minded men, who assembled the splendid army which maintained American ideas abroad, made many and wise provisions for the new soldiers which elicit approval from all true Americans.

The recruit is first of all a soldier. He is accordingly sent to a training camp where he is taught the rules and regulations of the army, and put through the drilling essential to the soldier. His body is straightened, strengthened and developed. Athletics in every form, particularly baseball, football and basketball are enthusiastically encouraged. Physically fit, he is freed from all worry. Not only does Uncle Sam supply clothing, wholesome food, clean comfortable sleeping quarters, the attention of medical and dental doctors, but his financial cares are banished by the liberal pay with

allowances, and the advantages of a very cheap insurance.

The plans for the mental development of the soldier are admirable. Aside from the broadening influences derived from travelling abroad, with its opportunity to learn foreign languages and customs, there is the occupational and vocational training. By taking advantage of the excellent courses offered one can become proficient in any of a number of useful trades, moreover, in the divisional camps where those showing greater aptitude are sent, the educational training is of the highest standard.

The greatest element in the task of character building is the moral development; the training of the will. Character is built by withstanding the difficult things of life. Many a manly character is rounded into firm self control and independence by military discipline with its early rising, hard work, severe physical tasks, trying drills, plain and perhaps rather coarse food. The virtue of a soldier is obedience, unquestioning, immediate obedience. This submission to authority was never before, in our national existence, more necessary than today.

The young men tolerantly broad minded from mingling with men from all sections, possessed of self denial and power of endurance and filled with respect for all lawful authority are certainly representative of the best in American life, and may well stand forth as the defenders of our lives, fortunes and ideals.

**SALES BY PAUL A. BOGOSIAN**

Mr. Paul A. Bogosian, real estate broker, office, 218-220 Bradley building, 147 Central street, reports the following sale negotiated during the past week.

The final papers have been recorded for the sale of a cottage, situated at 191 Coburn street, having seven rooms, bath, furnace heat and other improvements. The area involved is 2532 square feet of land, with many fruit trees, and is in a desirable location.

This sale was made in behalf of Srab Attolan and Varlanous Attolan. The grantee is Ernest Diette and Mary Diette, who bought for personal occupancy.

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## MARY PICKFORD NOT TO MARRY AGAIN

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 6.—Mary Pickford will never marry again, but will devote the remainder of her life to motion pictures, according to an interview she gave here last night to the Los Angeles Times. This was the first statement she had made to the press since she was granted a divorce from Owen Moore, Tuesday, at Milpden, Nev.

**Stranded from Train**

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 6.—Mary Pickford, weeping and worn, stumbled from the train here yesterday on her return from Minden, Nev., where she obtained a divorce decree Tuesday from Owen Moore.

Miss Pickford waited until the passengers had all left the car, then peered out, and seeing newspapermen and camera men, flanked by a crowd of the curious, she fled from the opposite side of the car. As she ran, with tears streaming down her face, she stumbled and fell. Her mother helped her up and they fled to a waiting automobile and sped away.

Miss Pickford would not pause to answer the questions fired at her by eager interviewers, but her mother spoke for her. "This is entirely a personal matter," she said, "and neither the papers nor the public have any right to be prying into it. Why can't you leave the poor little girl alone. She's nervous and broken up. Can't you see she's crying? This is just needless cruelty."

## \$600,000 FOR THE NEW HIGH SCHOOL

The municipal council will be asked at its regular meeting next Tuesday to appropriate \$600,000 toward the erection of Lowell's new high school building, in accordance with a vote of the high school building commission taken at an executive session late yesterday afternoon. It was also decided that changes in construction will have to be brought about so that the cost may be reduced \$100,000 further. Otherwise, there will not be sufficient money to pay incidental expenses. The commission already has authority to borrow \$1,183,000, but the bid now in its hands calls for an expenditure of \$1,750,000. Therefore, the request is to be made of the municipal council for an additional appropriation of \$600,000, as recently authorized by the legislature.

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## REAL ESTATE DEALERS

Thomas H. Elliott

Real estate and insurance, office 64 Central street, corner Prescott, reports the following transfer negotiated during the past week:

On behalf of Hon. Chas. S. Jolley, conveyance has been effected of the property commonly known as the Church street garage and located at 118-122-130-132 Church street. The buildings are of brick construction and have been used for garage purposes for many years past. At one time they were the headquarters of the Unity Guild. The land involved in the transfer totals 10,000 square feet. The grantees are Alfred E. Lyford and Cora E. Lyford.

In connection with the above transfer also is conveyed the four apartment block immediately adjoining these premises. The property will be held for purposes of investment as in the past. The grantees are Alfred E. Lyford and Cora E. Lyford.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

LOWELL

Charles Louis Cunniff et ux. to William Poirer et ux., Farmland road, Joseph Blomdell to Claudia Cushman, West Adams st.

Oscar A. Hall to Harry L. Wheeler, Gorham st.

Harriet E. Dana et al. to city of Lowell, East Merrimack st.

Delphine Dupont to Frank A. Desjardins et ux., Merrimack st.

Samuel C. Brickman to Edna Brickman, Foster st.

Maria Walker et al. to Louis L. Lammie et ux., School st.

John L. Nelson to Doubled Kazanlian et ux., Livingston st.

Srab A. Attolan to Ernest L. Diette et ux., Coburn st.

Victor E. Dorris to Angeline Perron et al., Moody st.

Andreas Wozynski to Polydor D. Smith et ux., Best st.

Alfred W. Shorham to Clara Loiselle, Riverside st.

Owen McCann to James E. McCann, Lyons st.

Fred Greenberg to Ida Hostler, Wheeler st.

Nicolaos Cazanias to Laura E. Richardson, Orchard st.

Thomas W. Johnson et al. to Edna Marion Macfie, Daniels st.

John S. Brodie et ux. to Ernest Ingalls et ux., Vernon st.

George S. Drey et al. to William Pomfret et ux., Crescent Hill

Franklin S. Condit to Blanche C. Butler et al., Lincoln st.

Arthur A. Tackett et al. to Leo Cohen, Middlesex st.

Emilie E. Gelleneau gdn. to Leo Cohen, Middlesex st.

George S. Drey et al. to Thomas F. Meehan et ux., Harvard st.

Rose Lemkin et al. to Onesime Auger et ux., Cabot st.

## WILMINGTON

Addie S. Chase et al. to Elmer H. Chase, Groton road.

D. Arthur Brown, Jr. to Howard A. Nickerson, Chateau road.

## WESTFORD

Roy B. Wheeler to Leon F. Hildreth, Woodward, Elm ave.

## TRINGBORO

Charles A. Sherburne to Henry F. Woodward, Elm ave.

## TRUNKSHURY

Abram V. Mann to John T. Kenney, South st.